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jan1-1y R. B. ESNOUF, Secretary.

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Victoria District, May 26, 1890. my27

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800 Tons of Lake Ice for Sale;

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my27-1m JAMES BAKER.

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Four doors south of Post Office. my27-1w

PROVINCIAL

ROYAL JUBILEE HOSPITAL.

The FINAL General Committee Meeting will be held on Friday next, the 30th inst. at the Board of Trade Rooms, Bank of B. Columbia Buildings, at 3 in the afternoon. Business: to receive final report of the Building Committee and close the duties of this Committee.

The FINAL Building Committee Meeting will be held at the same place on the same day, at 2 in the afternoon.

Members of each Committee are requested to attend at the hours named promptly, so that all arrangements can be completed for the Board of Incorporation coming into force on the 31st instant.

WILLIAM M. CHUDLEY, Hon. Sec'y.

Victoria, B. C., 23th May, 1890. my27

G. BYRNES, AUCTIONEER.

AUCTION.

Friday, May 30, 11 A.M.

FURNITURE

I will sell by auction at the residence of E. H. Fletcher, Esq., Blanchard street, Church Hill, all his Furniture, consisting of Parlor, Dining room, Bedroom and Kitchen Furniture.

G. BYRNES, Auctioneer.

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On Thursday, the 29th inst.,

AT 11 A. M.,

Parlor, Dining, Bedroom and Kitchen

FURNITURE,

WHICH CONSIST OF

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These goods are nearly new. Furniture can be seen on Wednesday, between the hours of three and five in the afternoon.

TERMS CASH.

Goods to be taken away on day of sale.

W. R. CLARKE,

my27 Auctioneer.

NOTICE.

QUEEN'S -:- BIRTHDAY CELEBRATION.

A meeting of the General Committee will be held on

THURSDAY, at 8 P.M.,

AT THE CITY HALL.

All claims to be sent in to the undersigned prior to that date,

S. PERRY MILLS, Hon. Sec.

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GOVERNMENT COMMITTEE

The Committee of the Government Candidates, Messrs. Turner, Duck, Irving and Dalby, will meet again at the Committee Rooms, Philharmonic Hall, Fort street,

THIS (TUESDAY) EVENING,

and every other evening (Sundays excepted) until the Election, at the hour of 7:30. All Government supporters wishing to assist in the campaign are invited to attend.

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AMONG THE MOUNTAINS.

Incidents of the Duke and Duchess of Connaught's Trip From Vancouver.

Pride Does Not Make a Prince—Grandeur of the C. P. R. Scenery—A Bear Story—In the Baggage Car.

Royalty at home, or when not obliged to "pose" for the benefit of an awe-struck and admiring public, is very much like the ordinary run of humanity. At least that is the opinion of THE COLONIST'S special correspondent who accompanied the "Queen's special" eastward from Vancouver. The passage of H.R.H. through the mountains, and that wonderful, richly diversified country lying between the terminus and Banff, was unmarked by any special feature, save and except the oft expressed fear of Major-General Sir John C. McNeill that some energetic reporter would get aboard.

The perfection of the arrangements made by the C.P.R. for the royal travelers was apparent as soon as the train was started on its trans-continental run. Their coaches were the finest on wheels; their dining room, in charge of the Canadian Pacific veterans, French and Vaughn, epicurean palaces; and section men were patrolling the track all the way along, in advance of the train to see that all was clear. Regulars of all descriptions were side-tracked, and everything else that could be was done to expedite and render more enjoyable the tour of their Highnesses.

Both the Duke and Duchess were as enthusiastic over the changing scenes en route as the most ardent lover of the C. P. R. wonders could desire. The great Fraser, winding, twisting, whirling between its mountain banks, so absorbed the attention of the party that the train was run at a snail-like pace through the mighty canyon, while the various features of interest—the Indian graves, the racks for drying the river harvest, the Chinese gold seekers, the giant forests and the old Cariboo road, winding, now down, now up, half way between the river and the sky—were duly noted and discussed.

Whenever a stop was made for water, or orders, the prince was on the platform almost before the train was at a standstill, chatting with whoever was to be found to talk to, and enquiring in regard to the size and character of the population, the nature of the land, its resources and the state of its development. His questions showed him to be interested in the country, not as a casual observer, but as an intelligent student; while his free, off-hand manner with all types of humanity with whom he was brought in contact showed well in contrast with the stiffness of official receptions.

At one of the stopping places on the first day's run an excellent illustration of the Prince's good humor was given. His Royal Highness was promenading the platform, the least noticeable one of all the party, and the scanty population who had gathered to see the train pass through were anxiously enquiring, "Which is the duke?" One rough but friendly fellow, an acquaintance of the engine driver, thought that he at least would get some definite information, and so he bluntly asked, "I say, which is his Royal nobs, anyway?" Prince Arthur was standing beside the speaker at the moment, and the manner of the interrogation amused him highly. He turned to the questioner, the driver was too mortified to reply, and, holding out his hand, said "I'm the man." The situation may be better imagined than described, but one rough, but useful, citizen of British Columbia will, to his dying day, be able to tell proudly of how he shook hands with Prince Arthur.

Albert Canyon, which is certainly worthy of warm admiration, particularly delighted the royal tourists. All left the train, and Duke and Duchess,—and even ponderous and pompous General McNeill—amused themselves by tossing stones into its dark depths, to watch them go bounding down, striking the black and rocky sides of the canyon, to be swallowed up at last in the seething waters below—while the merry laughter of the party sounded strangely in the vast solitude. "The Glacier" also received the special attention of the Royal party, and, while admiring the mighty mass of blue ice, His Royal Highness made the acquaintance of the bear, which is a special feature at the C.P.R. Hotel. His bearship, however, had no respect for nobility, and made a little rush for the Duchess, whereat, with genuinely feminine screams, the ladies retreated to their car, notwithstanding the guarantee that he "was just playing," and "would'nt bite."

Only one thing in connection with His Royal Highness struck the solitary reporter, who shared the accommodation of the baggage car with the crew, as open to great improvement. Royalty, while feasting in the Pullman, evidently forgot that train men must eat. There was no dining car attached to the baggage van, and with the exception of five "Chili" lunches tossed on board at a wayside station, the crew were forced to subsist on Dr. Tanner's favourite diet. However, fasting is a good appetizer, and the C. P. R. railroad men, who,—at least on the western runs,—are the most jovial, hearty and hospitable fellows on wheels, fully made up for the discomforts of their trip with the Queen's special, when their relief took charge at the end of the division, and a Pullman carried them back to Vancouver.

AMERICAN NEWS.

Struck by Lightning.

MANSFIELD, O., May 25.—A very severe rainstorm passed over this (Richland) county last night, accompanied with lightning and thunder. During the continuance of the storm lightning struck the John Charles block in Lucas, six miles east of this city, about 3 o'clock this morning. The block was occupied by a hardware and general merchandise store. The block took fire from the stroke and was entirely consumed, together with two dwellings adjoining. There is no fire apparatus in the village and the citizens turned out with buckets, but could do nothing toward extinguishing the flames. When they could do nothing more their efforts were directed towards saving the contents of the building. While removing the goods about fifty pounds of dynamite which was kept in the store exploded with disastrous effect. The bodies of John Smith and Jeremiah Jones were mangled and mutilated beyond recognition, and about twenty-five persons in all were more or less injured. The killed are John Smith, aged 54, who leaves a wife and family, and Jeremiah Jones, aged 50, who also leaves a wife and family. The seriously injured are Joseph Hanna, cut on the forehead and hand, F. Russell, severe cut over the left eye; John Gallagher, leg severely bruised by falling from a ladder; F. Meyers, badly hurt by being struck by flying bricks. Of the remaining persons injured none are considered to be seriously hurt. Physicians were quickly summoned, who attended the injured. The report of the explosion was heard five miles distant, and the shock was so great that nearly all the windows in the village were broken. The fire department of this city was called on for assistance, and the fire apparatus was put in a special train, but before they could start word reached them that the fire was under control.

The Anarchists Again.

CHICAGO, May 25.—The night of May 24, 1886, the date of the anarchist riot, was called to mind this morning with startling vividness by the discovery of unmistakable traces of an attempt to blow up the Haymarket monument and surrounding buildings with a gigantic charge of dynamite. A policeman was passing the monument and saw at its base what appeared to be a roll of black cloth, tied with a small piece of rope. He picked it up and the supposed rope crumbled to pieces in his fingers as though charred by fire. Tied upon the piece of black cloth was a tin can about four inches in diameter. The vessel was evidently full of some substance and weighed about ten pounds. Several pieces of burned fuse were found lying beside it. The fuse was in a dozen pieces and had evidently been soaked in kerosene.

On the steps approaching the base of the statue was found an unlighted piece of fuse, to one end of which was attached a small fulminating cap. This when tried with fire, flashed readily. The charge of dynamite, according to the police, was enough to blow up several blocks. The machine was evidently placed there early this morning, and the rain extinguished the burning fuse. The contents of the can were submitted to an expert, who finds that it contains a concentrate of 50 per cent of nitro glycerine, enough to cause great destruction. It is certain that the rain alone prevented an explosion. Chief of Police Marsh declines to say anything about the anarchists' movements, but it is known that the old groups have been reformed and are meeting again secretly, and that Herr Most, of New York, has been sending them circulars urging them to organize and prepare to strike another blow.

Imprisoned in Russia.

NEW YORK, May 25.—Among the cabin passengers on the Augusta Victoria, from Hamburg, was Herman Kempinski, a Russian by birth, and a naturalized American citizen. He was on his way to his home in Bridgeport, Conn., after having spent thirteen months in a Russian prison on the charge of evading military duty. He was accompanied by his wife and two little girls, who remained near him. The wife was confined in jail. They had returned to Russia to visit their parents, and the husband was arrested without charges. Kempinski tells an interesting story of his experience and the wife's efforts to procure his release. She first applied to Wurtz, the American consul, who promised to intercede; but nothing more was heard from him. A few months later a friend, coming to America, laid the case before Secretary Bayard, but the correspondence which followed had no result. The friend, a few months ago, laid the case before Secretary Blaine, who, according to Kempinski's story, notified Wurtz to demand the prisoner's release, and, failing, to demand passports and leave the country. As soon as this cable was laid before the czar, he directed the prisoner's release. This was immediately effected, and the unfortunate man treated with every considerations. He says the Russian jailers demanded money for everthing and that his wife expended nearly $1,000 during his imprisonment. He will see Secretary Blaine and try to recover his money.

BIG LUMBER DEALERS FAIL.

Caused by Decline in Prices and Speculation—Wide-spread Alarm.

QUEBEC, May 24.—In consequence of speculation and decline in prices in England, Smith, Wade & Co., the leading lumber dealers of this city, are in financial difficulties. The liabilities are $2,000,000. The principal creditors are: Bryant, Powis & Bryant, London, $300,000; Bank of Quebec, $175,000; Bank of Montreal, $130,000; Merchants bank, $125,000; Bank of British North America, $75,000; Union bank, $2,500; western lumber men, $700,000. There is wide-spread alarm for the results to the lumber trade.

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EUROPEAN GOSSIP.

The German Government Wants Another Appropriation for Military Purposes.

Mr. Gladstone's Article on the "Rights and Responsibilites of Labor."

GERMANY'S ARMY BILL.

LONDON, May 25.—The German government has asked the reichstag for a further vote of $5,000,000 for military purposes. The uses to which this money is to be applied explain the importance and magnitude of the army bill now pending, which does not appear at a first glance. In the first place the money is to be applied to the creation of seventy new field batteries, that is an addition of 420 guns to the field army. Second, to the increase and establishment of infantry and cavalry regiments, especially those of the army corps quartered on the Russian and French frontiers; and, thirdly, the formation of a new Bavarian division. The increase of artillery is intelligible enough. The German field army has 364 batteries, against the French 405 and the Russian 424. The present addition will give the Germans 434, which is more on a level with the figures of their neighbors. The exact distribution of the new batteries is not known. The old organization gave to each infantry division a field artillery regiment, composed of two brigade divisions of four batteries. Two years ago this system was revised by one in which the regiment consists of three brigade divisions of three batteries each. This would have given each division an extra battery of six guns, but it was carried out only in alternate regiments. It will now doubtless be extended to all regiments. According to a rough division the German army corps will, in the future, go into action with something like 130 guns instead of 96, so long the normal number. The artillery will be one-third more numerous than during the last war, and the effect expected from each gun is at least double what it used to be. The New Bavarian division means an addition of 12,000 infantry to the fighting force. The increase of the frontier corps seem to mean that those corps are to be permanently on a war footing. As to cavalry, the statement is not quite intelligible. Seeing that for a long time past both Germany and France have kept a large part of their cavalry at war strength and ready to push it up to or across the frontier within a given number of hours from an order to mobilize.

MR. GLADSTONE'S ARTICLE.

The National Liberal Club has ordered a re-print of several million copies of Gladstone's article which appeared in Lloyd's London Newspaper on the "Rights and Responsibilities of Labor," so that it can be placed in the hands of every workingman before the next general election. Since 1825 the mainspring of the laborer's life has, says Gladstone, gradually shifted from a point outside of himself to a point fairly within his base, and almost within reach of his very center. When the great reform was passed the workman was already almost fully privileged by law to live as he choose. But the work has yet to be amended and completed by a thorough reform of registration, by which the voting power of the British nation will rise to 7,000,000. Mr. Gladstone pauses to consider the causes of the curious fact that the working men of the country already have the ruling of it at their feet if they only care to put their hands down simultaneously and pick it up. Labor will soon be capital's equal, but she cannot dispense with it, nor is it essential to her strength that she should do so. Gladstone intends, if he should be called to resume the chief position in the executive department, to place the legislation to which he refers, dealing with the franchise and registration of voters, including lodgers, beyond all risk of failure by delay, so that in any case the next election may be the last taken under the existing laws. No measures could be more just and needful than those which would in this way raise the number of voters to seven millions, and make their votes more responsible and effective by the abolition of plural voting. None would be more beneficial to the liberal party, which would gain most of all in London.

ADOPTING AMERICAN LAWS.

A remarkable feature of English legislation just now is a tendency to copy after the United States. Not many years ago a suggestion that anything was American was sufficient to insure its rejection, but now all is changed and the American example is quoted with force and authority. The latest proposed adoption of the American method is the intended abolition of the gorgeous feudal high sheriff appointed by the crown, who cuts such a wonderful figure in royal receptions and judicial circles, and the substitution in his place of a paid sheriff devoting all his time to his duties. The subject will probably receive attention at the next session of parliament. The sheriff's office in England is much sought after, he being the official head of the country gentry and representative of the queen's authority. As in the case of the country magistrate, there is no compensation, the honor being deemed a sufficient recompense. The American principle of local option for the liquor traffic, which is embodied in Lord Randolph Churchill's license bill, has gained many recruits within a few days, but the presence of the feature of compensation to publicans whose licenses are withdrawn, prevents the advocates of temperance legislation from generally espousing the Churchill measure. The London county council, a recently constructed body, formed upon the American plan of the board of county supervision, is agitating for the adoption of the betterment principle, which compels adjoining owners to pay a share of public improvements, such as highways or bridges, and a member of the council seemed very much surprised, when informed that this, too, had been a rule in America for many years. Lord Salisbury is said to be dazed by the opposition which the government proposal to compensate publicans aroused, and on this subject, too, the example of the United States is quoted with telling force against the administration. "In the United States," said Mr. Bryce in parliament, "where local option has been adopted so largely, there has never been a single case of compensation of either brewers or liquor sellers for the suppression of their trade." Opponents of the measure even claim that it would thereupon convey a burden of not less than one thousand millions of dollars. This, added to seven hundred and fifty millions of dollars, which the Irish land purchase bill, according to the claims of its antagonists, will exact from Great Britain, is making the taxpayers very uneasy, and the government can hold out no longer in England which arouses the anxiety of taxpayers. The members of the house of commons are nearly all of the property-holding class, and they feel at once in their incomes any additional burden of taxation. In one respect only is a British parliament always liberal, and that is in granting money for warlike purposes or to support the royal family. In addition to this powerful feeling which mainly affects the pocketbook, the temperance sentiment of the country is aroused as it never was before. From all parts of Great Britain protests are coming from temperance organizations, and even the Church of England Temperance Society, the most conservative of those bodies, is demanding that such men as Archdeacon Farrar, Canon Wilberforce and Canon Barker make themselves heard in an assault on the compensation clause of the license bill. This is attacking the government in the house of its friend, for the Church of England is a pillar of the Conservative party.

SPORTS AND PASTIMES.

THE TURF.

The spring meeting of the Victoria Jockey club was a financial success, as could be easily inferred from the large attendance. There was considerable work in connection with the meeting, the brunt of which fell on the shoulders of Mr. D. E. Campbell, the secretary, who has been indefatigable in his efforts to bring the event to a successful issue. Several members of the committee have also proved themselves energetic workers. While the club is to be congratulated on the happy inauguration of their principal meeting, several occurrences transpired during the progress of the races which, it is trusted, will be absent at future meetings. It cannot be said that all the judges were chosen for their knowledge of racing matters, for on the first day the most glaring ignorance of the etiquette, routine and privileges that should exist at a horse race was apparent.

It is usual at racing events, where any knowledge of proper management of the same exists, to have accommodation for members of the press, for a great deal of the success and fair dealing at a race is due to the newspapers. This accommodation, for good reason, was not provided at the driving park, but it was expected that reporters would be, as usual, admitted to the judges' stand, so that they might acquire the necessary information concerning the races and decisions. When the reporter presented himself he was insolently told that he could not remain there. He protested, but after a threat and some vulgar remarks from one of the committee, who seems to be lacking in common courtesy and troubled with a great deal of empty conceit, he left the stand. One or two of the better informed officers present also protested against the treatment accorded the reporter, and finally he was informed that if he desired he could occupy a place. On the second day, owing to the courtesy of the secretary, the press was accorded every facility for obtaining a report of the race.

It is the rule where proper facilities are provided that judges are not interfered with by any individual, and quite rightly too, for they have to consider protests and make important decisions. But on Friday there were double the number of judges necessary—some of whom were not qualified for the post—and several other people occupying the judges stand. It can readily be understood that in this assembly it was impossible to arrive at a well-considered decision on any point submitted. Three judges are ample for all purposes. The starter should not be in the judges box, and certainly no one else.

Owners of horses claim that the advertised rules of the club were ignored, especially in the race for the Queen's Plate, Duncan's b. m. "Gertie" was compelled to carry 45 pounds more than English's "Young Brady." The Pacific Coast Association rules, which governed the race, do not provide less than 100 pounds for a horse the age of Young Brady, and yet the judges awarded him but 75 pounds. Rules once adopted should not be departed from on any account.

There are many other points with regard to starting the horses and the general arrangement of the course, that require amendment, but, it is not to be expected that, in this first attempt, perfection would be attained. However, if the club desire continued prosperity and a good name in the racing world, they will, next time, limit the judges and make their selections among those best entitled to fill the positions, and not from among bumptious individuals who have not the necessary knowledge to fit them for the important work.

Cyclone and Rubicon decided the question of superiority in the half mile and repeat run at the Driving Park yesterday afternoon. The former won easily in two straight heats. After this contest was over a scratch race was made between horses owned by Snyder and Sabine. Snyder's was small and trained well down; Sabine's was right from the grass and showed it. They traveled a neck and neck race all the way around to the three-quarter, when the big horse drew away, to pass under the wire winner by one length. The race contained plenty of fun.

It was the Wind this Time.

The telegraph line was reported broken in two places last night—between Victoria and Nanaimo, and at Valdez Island—owing to the high wind, and THE COLONIST, as a consequence, was deprived of its usual telegraphic report.

UP IN ARMS.

The Fishing and Farming Population of Newfoundland Driven to Desperation.

Serious Trouble Anticipated Unless the Imperial Government Takes Immediate Action.

ST. JOHNS, N. F., May 25.—The greatest excitement prevails here, the last two French outrages on the St. Johns population having driven the people almost to the verge of desperation. All along the coast known as the French shore, which extends from Cape St. John to Cape Ray, the fishing and farming population is arming, while agents have arrived here to purchase guns and ammunition to supply to the crews of Newfoundland fishing vessels. The present outlook is serious.

Unless the British government takes immediate action to recind the recent arbitrary arrangement which gives France territorial rights for forty miles and inland on the coast named, it is not improbable that the whole colony will be in open revolt in the near future.

The excitement grows out of the French outrages on Friday at Port Au Basque, 300 miles from St. Johns, the most westerly settlement of importance on the island, and the barbarous treatment of the crew of a schooner which was aground, at the hands of Frenchmen, who beat the mate so badly that he may die.

Open hostilities are momentarily anticipated between the armed fishing vessels of Newfoundland and France, and as there are French men-of-war on the coast which will not respect the British flag, the result of such action would be disastrous to the St. Johns' fishermen.

HALIFAX, N. S., May 25.—It is reported this morning that two of the English war ships now here have been instructed to sail with sealed orders for the scene of the trouble. It is also reported that the war ship Pelican, now cruising at the mouth of the St. Lawrence river, has received similar instructions.

MONTREAL, May 25.—The Newfoundland delegates at present here for the purpose of obtaining Canadian support in their demands on the British government for the prevention of French aggressions on fishermen are greatly excited over the fresh outrages.

D. S. Green, a member of the Newfoundland government, who heads the delegation, says that the English government has been making more and more concessions to France, until now the latter country has full control of the coast, instead of being allowed the concurrent rights with British subjects, as ordained in former treaties.

A PROMISING SCHEME.

Developing the Fisheries of the West Coast and the Unoccupied Lands of the Island.

A movement is on foot for the establishment of a General Fishing and Colonization company on the West coast. Mr. Alexander Begg, who is prominently connected with the Crofter settlement scheme, is one of its leading promoters. In all probability the company will be formed in Great Britain with a capital of £100,000 to £150,000. It is proposed to begin operations on the west coast of the island of Vancouver, and establish canneries and salting and fish smoking establishments; to convert fish offal into guano, develop the mineral resources and, if circumstances are favorable, to promote settlement in and about the localities where the company's works are established, which otherwise would not be likely for some time to come to be taken hold of. Fish oils will also be an article of manufacture, and it is considered desirable to have the enterprise made as comprehensive as possible. Mr. Begg seems to be of opinion that the present is a favorable occasion at which to inaugurate the project. British capital is being invested in all directions, and it is thought that few better fields for enterprise present themselves than this. While making a fair return upon the capital invested, it is confidently believed that the company's operations would be most beneficial to the province. They would promote settlement by supplying employment to considerable numbers of people, whose homes would require to be established in sparsely settled sections, if, indeed, they are settled at all. The project is scarcely in such a condition as to be formally laid before the financiers either of this country or Great Britain, but it is likely, that, in the course of a week or two, a complete prospectus will be issued.

POLITICAL GOSSIP.

No Dearth of Candidates in the Kootenais and Yale Districts.

(Inland Sentinel.)

Hon. F. G. Vernon, Chief Commissioner of Lands & Works, arrived in town on Monday, and has remained all week arranging details and organizing committees for the work connected with the political campaign now upon us. From Kamloops he will proceed to Nicola, Similkameen, Rock Creek, Okanagon, and Spallumcheen districts, returning here to hold a public meeting on or about the 2nd of June, when the assizes will be on.

G. B. Martin, M. P. P., is making a vigorous canvass of the constituency, he having held meetings down the line this week. He is bound to win if hard and persistent work will accomplish that end.

Rumors are rife as to the probable candidates for Yale district in the approaching contest. In the Nicola district it is said the electors will divide government v. opposition, and the straight ticket will be voted by each party.

In the Spallumcheen district it is stated that Mr. Donald Graham has given up his intention of being a candidate, but that Mr. Rabbitt, of the firm of Wood and Rabbitt, will contest the seat with Mr. Vernon as an opposition candidate.

From the west side of the constituency comes the rumor that Mr. James Wardle, J.P., of Hope, has announced his intention of coming out as a government candidate. Should these rumors prove true there will be no dearth of candidates, and the electors will have a choice.

From the reports to hand there will be no dearth of candidates in West Kootenay and the feeling runs high both for and against the government.

UNDERTAKERS' SHOP FUNERALS.

Many of Them Now and They Are Expected to Become Yet More Common.

Successful undertakers in New York nowadays have to be prepared to furnish a church and clergyman along with the other requirements for a funeral. Not very long ago it was an exceptional thing for funeral services to be held in an undertaker's shop. Only the bodies of the friendless or of those whose friends were too poor to afford any better accommodations were then taken from the undertaker's direct to the grave. Of late, however, the phrase: "The funeral will be held at the parlors of So-and-so, undertaker," is frequently seen attached to death notices, and even more often the place where the funeral is to be held is designated by its street number only. Nine times out of ten the place so designated is an undertaker's shop.

The way this has come about has been chiefly through the increasing reluctance of hotel and boarding house keepers to have a funeral in their house. Friends of those dying in such places are generally given to understand that an immediate removal of the body would be highly appreciated, or, if the friends appear within a few hours, the proprietor summons an undertaker and has the body removed. Unless the deceased person has near relatives in the city it is generally a matter of difficulty for the friends to find a place in which to hold the funeral, unless they wish to go to the expense of a church funeral, and have a claim upon some church of which they can make use. In this way it has naturally come about that bodies have been left to lie in the undertaker's rooms, and at the time set for the funeral the friends have gathered there and listened to a brief service pronounced by some clergyman, supplied by the undertaker, too, perhaps, and thence have borne the body directly to the grave.

With the increase of this custom the undertakers have been compelled to increase the size of their rooms and to fit them up better and differently from ordinary shops of the sort. One city undertaker has gone so far as to clear out the whole front of his store and leave a large room nearly seventy-five feet deep, with paneled, church like ceiling and walls, which can be filled with chairs if necessary, where the services are held. It is not unusual for as many as two or three hundred persons to gather at funeral services held in this shop. Some quite well known persons have been buried from there. One, a woman, who had been in life a well known advocate of cremation, went from there to the crematory only a few days ago.

Some undertakers think that this custom will continually increase in a city like New York, and that in time every undertaker will have to keep a sort of small chapel in connection with his shop for the use of his customers. At present those who have the facilities for allowing services to be held in their shops make an extra charge for the use of the rooms for that purpose, but competition is already doing away with that.—New York Sun.

Down on the Habit of Kissing.

It is said that the nursing sisterhood of St. Vincent, in France, have not suffered from influenza, owing to certain sage rules of the founder. He discouraged asceticism, enjoined warm clothes and every reasonable comfort, because the sisters should regard themselves as fighting the evil principles which cause suffering in the world, and the combat with which needs bodily strength. They slept in good beds from 9 at night to 5 in the morning, and had good, succulent diet, were free from care unless to do their duty, and were not to salute any one by the way when outside of the convent on their errands of mercy. Salutations in cold weather were, said the reverend mother, one of the most fertile sources of throat and pulmonary disease. In fine weather they were the cause of loss of time and took the mind from the object on which it should be set.—Pall Mall Gazette.

Wealth Well Spent.

A current whimsicality of wealth is the gifts of money to Jay Gould's children by the multiple-millionaire's mother-in-law, who, on dying, has left a will devising $5,000 apiece to each of her grandchildren. Of course, only an expression of love was meant, yet it seems ridiculous on the face of it. However, I learn that the recipients will devote the money to charity, probably to the endowment of beds in hospitals. That is a charming fashion with some of our fashionable and wealthy women. The income from a donation of $5,000 suffices to support one bed, and the donor may, if she chooses, designate an occupant. Thus she may, upon learning of some person poor and ill, place the sufferer comfortably in a hospital. The young Gould ladies intend to use their special inheritances in that way.—New York Letter.

Old Love Letters.

A special dispatch from Canajoharie, N. Y., says: "While at Stone Arabia a few days ago a citizen of Palestine Bridge found a begrimed and badly battered metallic box. It was opened with much difficulty, and its contents consisted of a locket, a bundle of parchment letters and a piece of faded blue ribbon. The locket is of gold and of fine workmanship. On one side in monogram are the letters 'A. H. D.,' and on the other a curiously wrought hunting scene. The letters were all written in 1778-89 by a lady of evident royalty residing in London. They were to her betrothed and couched in the most tender language."

A Russian Verdict.

An engine driver on the Central Asian railway who sustained concussion of the brain in a serious accident on Gen. Annenkoff's line some time ago has just sued the railway officials for damages in a court at Samarcand, and obtained very satisfactory and somewhat original compensation. The court decreed that he should be paid 7,000 rubles down at once, and, in addition, should receive 30 rubles, or £3, a month, with an extra 10 rubles for every child which might be born to him.—Cor. London Times.

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1 lot Humboldt st. (cor.), easy terms	1,800
4 acres and house, Lansdowne road	4,500
2 acres Cedar Hill road	2,000
25 acres Saanich road	5,000
5¼ acres " "	1,000
2 acres St. Charles avenue	2,400
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1 lot, Parry st., James Bay (half cash)	800
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2 lots James Bay, Tramway line	2,400
2 lots Viewfield, Esquimalt road	2,750
1 acre Esquimalt road	2,000
2 lots Johnson street and Fernwood road, each	1,000
1 acre corner Richmond and Oak Bay avenues	2,000
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I hope to have the pleasure of addressing you at as early a date as possible, when I shall place my views before you.

Yours respectfully,

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I am a Candidate for the representation of the City of Victoria in the Legislative Assembly, as an independent supporter of the present Government, and I respectfully ask for your votes at the general election.

Faithfully yours,

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Having been selected by those opposed to the present Local Government as one of four to contest the ensuing general election in their interest, I beg to announce myself as a Candidate at the forthcoming election in opposition to the Government, and trust you may favor me with your votes and support.

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ACROSS THE KARROO.

We had already journeyed seven days from Capetown, passing through the pretty villages of Paarl and Ceres, with the vineyards and maize fields, and had now reached the edge of the desert known as the Karroo. The site is marked on the map of South Africa as beginning beyond the range of the great Zwarte (Black mountains).

The entrance to the Karroo is through a small gorge about a quarter of a mile long and twenty yards wide, with abrupt walls of stone on either side, which seems to indicate that at some former period a stream of water had passed out through this gorge from a lake whose bed is now an arid desert. The distance across the desert to the point we wished to reach was 100 miles, which we wished to accomplish in three days. It was necessary to be careful of our horses, knowing there was no water on the journey for them. We hoped to do forty miles the first day, and thirty miles each day of the two following. We entered the Karroo Poort (Karroo Gate) at sunrise, and set out on our hazardous journey.

I should state that we had stopped over night at a last farmhouse near the Poort, to give our horses rest and a good feed, and to supply ourselves with forage for them and water for ourselves, filling every available vessel with the precious fluid. Our conveyance was a light though strongly built cape cart, on occasion covered with a canvas hood to protect us from the sun's rays, and there were four of us. No one can set out upon a desert journey without mingled emotions of hope and fear, there are so many contingencies lying along those weary roads, and roads rendered more desolate by the bleaching bones of dead animals—for often the willing beasts, the horses and oxen, fall with fatigue, and see with dying gaze the keen eyed vultures swooping from afar.

As we entered the desert it spread before us on every side like a boundless brown sea, silent, solitary and vast. As the sun rose into the sky the warmth became intense, and when by midday we halted we could see the heat rising from the scorched plains in the wavy columns like golden flames. There is no greater alleviator of thrist than cold tea, and no safer stimulant in a torrid land. While the horses were being unharnessed and fed Meadows and I prepared our midday meal. In three hours we broke up camp, and went on again until the day was nearly done—a day that had passed fairly well.

There was neither tree nor mountain in sight; nothing to break the level monotony that stretched as far as the eye could see. We encamped for the night in the midst of this swelling loneliness, and then perhaps for the first time began to feel its power. We spent the last hour before sundown in cutting and gathering a quantity of brushwood (Karroo shrub, the only thing that grows upon these plains) to feed a necessary fire to protect us from the wolves and jackals which scour the desert in packs.

After supper we put away our tin dishes, replenished our big fire, wrapped ourselves in our rugs, and lay down with our weapons by our sides and our feet to the fire.

Adolph and Wilhelm Moritz, happy Dutchmen, were soon asleep; Meadows and I lay chatting for some time, then relapsed into quietness, the deep and strange silence that surrounded us broken only by the stir of the horses tied to the wagonpole. The singular sensation of lying in this noiseless desert drove sleep from my eyes, and I lay awake a long time after George Meadows had fallen asleep. Suddenly there came into the dead silence a long, sharp, piercing cry, answered by another in the opposite direction, equally distant; these were the cries of jackals.

Then came the bark of a wolf, answered by a chorus, and Meadows suddenly rose into a sitting position. "The brutes are coming!" he exclaimed. Instantly a hundred throats seemed to be baying into the darkness, drawing nearer and nearer, until we could see, surrounding us like a circle of fire, the scintillation of red eyes. The scene was now become one of startling reality—all about us the dense darkness, lighted only, and in a manner made more perceptible, by the rays of the glowing brushwood embers; in all directions about us the glare of shining eyes, and now the brutes came so near that we could hear the angry snarls and the snapping of their jaws.

George Meadows rose and threw fresh fuel on the fire; the flame that crackled and flashed up brought into view the shaggy forms of the gray wolves, the striped hyenas, behind them, again, the jackals; and the horses, realizing that their deadly enemies were close at hand, gave low whinnies, as though calling upon us for protection. The Moritz brothers were up, and, together with ourselves, opened fire upon the animals, shooting at the shifting masses where they seemed thickest, answered by howls and cries of rage as our bullets tore their way into the restless groups. For an hour or more the animals skulked around; but, as we kept our brushwood fire in good condition, they finally gave up what we feared was a premeditated attack, and stole away. And then we rested and knew no more till the chilly dawn awoke us, when a fresh misfortune awaited us.

In the confusion of the night before a wooden canteen, filled with water, had been kicked over, the bung started and much of the contents lost. While the horses were being fed and "inspanned," Meadows made coffee, and then, greatly refreshed, we set out before the sun was up, journeying still deeper into the desert. Our drive was a dreary pull. Once we passed close to where a flock of vultures were feeding on the carcass of some animal that had wandered off the road to die. Our track was lined with whitened bones. After we had halted for an hour's rest and a hurried breakfast, we went on again, and should have been in good spirits enough had not our horses, inured as they were, begun to show unmistakable signs of the fatigue that follows a lack of water.

We ourselves had not too much to satisfy the needs of four men, and we determined to put ourselves on short allowance since the mishap of the night before. After the midday "outspan" our late afternoon journey was enlivened by a singular display of thieving boldness. We were slowly "trekking" along, the two drivers of our four in hand team seated on the front seat, Meadows and I on the seat behind half asleep, the curtain at the end of the wagon rolled up a few inches to permit a draught to pass through, when all at once we heard a scuffling kind of spring and scratching at the tailboard, and looking round we caught the glimpse of the nose of a jackal as it disappeared from sight. The reason was obvious. Lashed against the back of the wagon outside was a sack of dried salt fish, the odor of which had attracted the sharp scented thieves, and which the brutes were endeavoring to steal, and finally succeeded in doing so by biting off the lashings.

Moritz would not stop the horses, but whipped them up afresh, saying: "Let them have it." George and I, however, used our revolvers, leaving many of them dead in the road behind; but, having secured the fish, they seemed satisfied, as we could see them in the distance fighting and tearing at each other over the booty.

Night came and all was quiet when we outspanned at the close of the day, our bed against the hot sands and our covering the dim vault above, studded with stars that looked like points of burnished silver stretching far away.

Our third and last day's journey was a most trying one, during which we fully realized what desert traveling may become. We had exhausted our last drop of water the night before, and we awoke with a thirst that seemed then unbearable; but before the day was over we learned that our morning thirst was but a trifling affair. Everything was intensified on that day; the sun seemed fiercer, the heat greater, the desert drier and the sky more defiant; in fact, we seemed to be journeying deeper and deeper into a furnace whose fires forbade a further approach, and when we halted for the noonday rest both man and beast were utterly exhausted.

No one who has not crossed a desert can possibly imagine the fearful condition to which a want of water reduces him; the food is swallowed with difficulty, and the system is faint with fever, while the knowledge of its absence does but heighten the craving of the body for its cool refreshment. After our rest we set out again, and the time slipped by in silence. Later, looking up, I saw something, and turned and said to Meadows:

"Thank God! there is water ahead. See, there is a lake a few miles off."

"A lake!" exclaimed Moritz. "Don't you know what that is?"

"What is it, if not a lake?" demanded Meadows.

"A mirage—and nothing else," said the elder Moritz.

"A mirage!" I cried. "Why, I can see the water; there are the reflections of the trees and deer drinking."

"You'll see what'll become of your lake, mynheer, and your trees and your deer, as we go," he replied with a short laugh. "No! you'll see no water till we're out of the Karroo and at Verbeck's farm."

Far away overhead in the brazen sky was a single vulture that made one dizzy to look at. An hour later the stumbling horses suddenly pricked up their ears, and the leaders neighed.

"There is water," said Moritz, in an undertone of surprise. "You may deceive a man, but you can't deceive a horse."

True enough, in a short time we came up to a nearly dried pool of filthy water, little more than mud, as thick as porridge and as brown as chocolate, towards which the horses rushed with new energy. It was a cruel act, but we pulled up suddenly, and Adolph and his brother leaped to the ground and held them back while Meadows and I ran forward and scooped up the liquid and strained it through a handkerchief until we had collected a large kettleful. Then we outspanned and let the horses go, and stood and watched them as they eagerly licked up the muddy compound. One may ask how it was this little pool should be in the road tracks of the desert, where, as far as we knew, no rain had fallen. I cannot tell: I only know that it was there and that it saved our lives. A fire was made, and the kettle set on it; we knew we had the water and could wait. It was boiled, to free it from impurities and germs it might contain, and then, when properly heated, we again strained it through a handkerchief, afterward pouring it all into a porous pitcher we had with us, and, incasing that again with a strip of wet flannel, we placed the pitcher in the sun, where the evaporation of the steaming flannel cooled the water inside to a delicious freshness, though it could not improve the flavor.

We drank a large cupful each—it was the color of polished mahogany—and put the rest into the wagon, slaking our thirst as we drove on. Just before the sun set, a globe of crimson fire in an empty, quivering sky, we saw before us, touched with his last beams, a distant fringe of trees, and we knew we were nearing our journey's end, for Verbeck's farm lay behind that distant foliage. Our last meal was eaten on the desert, our last rest taken till the moon was up, and then on again we "trekked" through a silent world.

At midnight of that same day we walked our weary horses up to the farm gate, and were met by the hospital farmer Verbeck and his family, heralded by the troop of dogs that are invariably to be found hanging about the Dutch farm houses. Our journey across the Karroo was accomplished and we had reached the farm of mooifontein (beautiful water). Behind the white walled house and shaded trees ran a small river to which we led the horses before taking them to the barn; and later, over an impromptu supper, we told Verbeck the latest news from the civilized world, and slept that night with a grateful sense of perils overcome, far into the morning light of the following day.—Illustrated London News.

MISCELLANEOUS.

Notice to Road Contractors.

SEALED TENDERS will be received by the Hon. Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works up to noon of Monday, 2nd June next, for the construction of a carriage road from the eastern boundary of Beacon Hill Park, following the line of the present road by way of Henley's and Clover Point to the Fairfield Road near Ross Bay.

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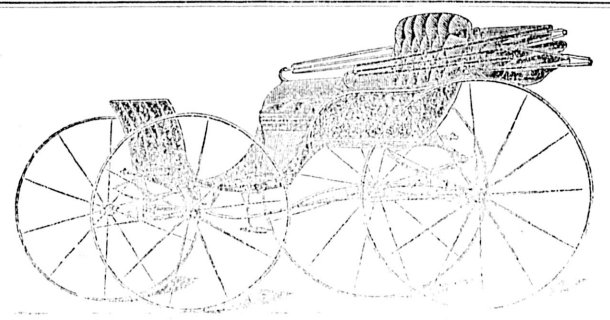

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THE OPPOSITION PLATFORM, AND THE "MINERAL ACT."

In attempting, the other evening, to define an Opposition platform, the speaker of that faction left out his most important plank,—that of deceit.

That deception is its principal weapon of warfare, has been demonstrated over and over again. A notable instance of this, occurs in last evening's organ, under the heading of "The Government's Impost upon Miners." The Opposition organ in this article, tries to be wise, after the event, and denounces the tax of $105 imposed by the Legislature, for the purpose of securing to the claim holder the title in fee simple to his claim. It omits, however, to state the fact, that not one word of remonstrance, or opposition was raised to this measure in the House of Assembly. Its assurance that it was pointed out at the time of the passage of the bill that the law was against the prospector is like most of its other statements, an absolute untruth, and a statement which the organ can ransack in vain, either in its own reports or that of any other journal in the province, to verify.

The tax of $105, as was explained at the time, was imposed, not with the view of any profit to this government, but simply and solely to meet the payment to the Dominion Government, as owners of the freehold for the surface rights. Although, according to law, it was a tax—yet its sole object was to protect the mine owner in the holding of his claim—it having been arranged between the Dominion and the Province that the taker should have the preferential right of acquiring all mineral land at $5 per acre.

After misquoting the sections of the act, so as to entirely destroy their sense, the organ, in an endeavor to mislead, makes the unqualified assertion that the Order-in-Council relieving from the obligation to pay the $105 impost is illegal, and that any record made, in absence of the payment, is, notwithstanding the Order-in-Council, void, and the claim liable to be jumped by any one who pays the $105.

No doubt the organ, for the sake of making a point, at election time, against the Government, wishes that such was the case—but, unfortunately for its desire, the law has been too closely followed, and is too explicit to admit of any question. Section 47 of the Revenue Act, providing that:

"The Lieutenant Governor, whenever he deems it right, and conducive to the public good, may remit any tax, * * imposed or authorized to be imposed by any act of the Provincial Legislature * * and such remission may be made by any general regulation, or by any special order, in any particular case, and may be total or partial, unconditional, or conditional."

Thus it will be seen that in relieving of the obligation to pay the $105 impost, the Government acted strictly within its legal powers, but at the same time, by the beneficient provisions of the act, the claim holder who is able to pay for the surface of 20 acres or so of his claim, may acquire the freehold under the arrangements between the two governments.

It is difficult to see how any provision meeting, as it does, the cases both of the miner with money and the one without it, could have been arrived at.

QUICKLY REDRESSED.

The Kootenay Star, commenting on the News-Advertiser's article, denouncing the Government for the mistake that had been made not by the Government only, but by the whole Legislature, with respect to the mineral lands in the railway belt, says:

"Did the News-Advertiser raise any voice of warning against the bad consequences of this law before it was enacted? Did it not have an intelligent reporter at Victoria during the session? Neither did any other one of the metropolitan coast journals, nor the leader of the Opposition, nor any other member of that party, say one word against the measure. Neither did those gentlemen who spent the winter at Victoria, and one might think from their manifestoes as a Victoria-Kootenay committee, that they had the entire mining welfare of Kootenay district under their sole guardianship, discover the railway belt 'iniquity,' until brought to light by the miners of Revelstoke, and frankly admitted and promptly remedied by the Premier."

Nothing is more certain than that the Opposition is as much to blame as the Government for making the mistake in the first place. The section of the Mineral Act which in operation would bear so hard on the miners, passed through the Legislature without note or comment. The fact is everybody thought that everything was all right, and that the section was required to put in force the arrangement that had been made by the two Governments with respect to the administration of the minerals in the Railway Belt. We venture to say that the Leader of the Opposition was as much surprised as the Leader of the Government to find that the law was so very disadvantageous to the miner's prosperity on lands owned by the Dominion. What the Government could do to remedy the oversight was done at the earliest moment possible. As soon as the Premier returned to town he did what was necessary to remove the evil complained of. He did not wait for the mail to advise the Gold Commissioner that the tax had been removed. He immediately sent the following telegram to that official:

VICTORIA, B. C., May 17, 1890.

To G. C. TUNSTALL,
Gold Commissioner.

"Obnoxious mining record tax set aside. You will now record claims as formerly, under section 45 of old Mineral Act. Instructions by mail. JOHN ROBSON."

On the same day the following letter of instruction was sent to Revelstoke by mail:

"VICTORIA, 17th May, 1890.

SIR:—I have the honor to inform you that by authority of an Order-in-Council, approved on the 16th instant by His Honor the Lieutenant Governor, the tax of $105 under section 1 of the Mineral Act Amendment Act, 1890, imposed on the claimant of any claim, located or applied for under section 75 of the "Mineral Act," where such claim is situated within that portion of the Province known as the Railway Belt, has been remitted, and you are authorised as a Gold Commissioner having jurisdiction within the railway belt, to accept and make records of mineral claims without the said tax being actually paid.

"This remission, however, does not in any way affect the stipulation contained in Sec. 45 of the "Mineral Act."

I am, Sir,
Your obedient servant,
JOHN ROBSON,
Provincial Secretary and Minister of Mines.

G. C. TUNSTALL,
Gold Commissioner,
Revelstoke.

Section 45 alluded to in the above letter reads as follows:

"Every free miner, or company of free miners, may record his or their claim or set of claims in one record on payment of two dollars and fifty cents; and every 'leave of absence' may contain all the interests exempted from representation. Two dollars and fifty cents shall be charged for such 'leave of absence' and for any bill of sale or other document or matter recorded."

It was impossible to be more prompt than this. No one really believes that the Government or the Legislature intended to place the slightest unnecessary burden on the shoulders of the miner; and the Opposition papers which now desire to make the electors think that they, from the first, disapproved of the measure are simply dishonest. They are very wise indeed—after the fact. If they had been one-tenth as wise as they would like the people to believe that they are, when the bill was in its passage through the Legislature it would never have become law in its present shape. The Kootenay miners are too shrewd not to see this, and they will, no doubt, give the Opposition fault-finders all the credit they deserve.

THE FISHERIES QUESTIONS.

One of the best statements we have seen of the Fisheries disputes between Great Britain and France, and Great Britain and the United States, is an article on "North American Fisheries Disputes," by F. Heinr Geffcken, in the May number of the Fortnightly Review. As the writer belongs to a nation which is wholly unconnected with the dispute, he may fairly lay claim to be impartial. He is not only impartial, but he has a thorough acquaintance with the subject. We know of no one paper in which an enquirer can get so full and so accurate an account of the fisheries difficulties as he can in this article by Herr Geffcken. He gives his readers an admirable resume of the points of the Newfoundland case. He says all that is necessary to enable them to form an intelligent opinion on the merits of that dispute.

His history of the Canadian Fishery Question is remarkably clear and full. He condenses in a few pages, the contents of volumes of diplomatic correspondence and of parliamentary enquiries. He appears to have overlooked nothing. The decisions he comes to will, no doubt, be acquiesced in by British readers, for they are favorable to the contention of the British Government. It could not, in fact, be otherwise, for the right is so clearly on the British side, that even the Americans do not seriously contend that Great Britain's claims on the Eastern side of the continent cannot be substantiated by international law and by the treaties between the two nations.

The reviewer has mastered all the facts connected with the Behrings Sea dispute, and the conclusions at which he arrives agree with those to which all competent men have come, no matter what their nationality. After stating the case fully and clearly, he says:

"The whole course pursued by the Americans is incompatible with the clearest prescriptions of international law. The Public Prosecutor at the court at Sitka admitted that the ships were not seized in American territorial waters; adding, however, that it was done 'in the main waters of that part of Behring's Sea ceded by Russia to the United States,' thus claiming jurisdiction for the United States over that part of the Pacific in contradiction to their own protest of 1882."

The reviewer then goes on to give the boundaries of that part of the Pacific Ocean that goes by the name of Behring's Sea. He winds up his argument by saying—

"The assertion of that court (at Sitka) that the latter is a land-locked sea is, therefore, utterly unfounded, far more so as in 1821 Russia at least was in possession of both coasts of that part of the Pacific, whilst the United States only possess the eastern coast, and the western is formed by Kamtchatka. The American position, is therefore clearly untenable, and the grievance that the Victorian sealers pay no rent, and can therefore undersell the Alaskan company, is utterly irrevalent. What is only more astonishing than this preposterous pretension is the patience (not to say the supineness) with which the British government has allowed this grievance to remain unredressed over nearly three years; and it is very natural that such a shifty policy should be highly unacceptable to the colony which has suffered from it, and it is plain that this question ought to be decided at the same time with the fishery question."

THE IMBECILE OPPOSITION.

The organ is not so stupid as it seems. It knows very well that we did not devote one column, or one tenth part of a column, "to prove that the Leader of the Opposition is to blame for the passage of the royalty clause of the Railways Aid Act." What we did devote a little space to was to show that the Opposition were so apathetic, so careless, or so thick-headed, that they allowed a bill which they now declare to be lead to pass its second reading without a single objection or one word of criticism. An opposition that was worth its salt would not think of doing such a thing. To be half or wholly asleep when a very important Government bill is passing through its most important stage, then when spurred up no doubt by indignant supporters, some days afterwards, to offer a weak and most ineffective opposition, and afterwards, when the bill has become law, to claim credit for having opposed it, is certainly the crookedest, the shabbiest, and the most cowardly course that an Opposition ever pursued.

We blame the Opposition for not doing what its organ now proves that it was its duty to do. We judge it by its own standard. Perhaps the Times will tell the public how often the Opposition divided the House on this Railways Aid Bill.

Talk of the opposition to that bill! It was feebleness itself. If the Times wanted to show that the Opposition, in the late House, was imbecile, it could not prove its position more clearly than it did in last night's issue. One would think, to read the Times, that the Hon. Mr. Beaven was a baby in the hands of the Attorney-General, and that his five supporters had no choice than to do exactly as they were bidden by the Government.

THE RAILWAY AID BILL.

The organ again tries to deceive by making it appear that the "Attorney General pushed it (the bill) to a second reading in spite of the protests of the Opposition."

There were only two bills during the entire session, where the Opposition requested time, and it was not given them. These were the "Redistribution Bill," and the "Quieting Titles Act."

As regards the first-mentioned measure, the opposition to it was freely ventilated, and as to the last-named bill, after discovering that it had no effect upon pending litigation, as they affected to believe it had, the Opposition allowed it to go through without a single objection.

Severe Earthquake Shocks.

GLOVERSVILLE, N. Y., May 25.—At 7 o'clock this morning the city was visited by a severe shock of earthquake. Large buildings were shaken; people were thrown out of chairs and out of bed, and glass was shattered. The earthquake was preceded by a loud rumbling sound. At the same moment the fire alarm bells rang out, and then the city turned out, the excitement being intense. A small dwelling was burned. Later in the morning, when the excitement had hardly subsided, the fire bells again gave an alarm, and a large brick building in the rear of the opera house was discovered to be in flames. It was occupied by Julius Cole as a laundry, and was entirely destroyed. Another slight shock of earthquake was felt about noon. The shock was the most severe ever felt in this vicinity.

QUALITY NOT QUANTITY.

Our Inducements—A Good Article at a Fair Price.

It is a well-known and indisputable fact that the celebrated and popular brands of cigars, "Cable," "Mungo," "El Padre," and "Madre E Hijo," have lost none of their original excellence. Over a quarter of a century in the market. Millions of each brand sold annually. FACTS which speak for themselves.

S. DAVIS & SONS, Montreal.

Dr. Child's Pile Ointment quickly relieves and cures. $1 of druggists. Wholesale agents, Langley & Co., Victoria. mr30-3m

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Visiting cards printed from copper-plate at THE COLONIST office.

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A LARGE and Varied stock of Bibles, Hymn and Prayer Books, at T. N. Hibben & Co.'s.

MACMUNN'S Views of Victoria and Vicinity and C.P.R., at T. N. Hibben & Co.'s.

"Tales of Western Life,"

By H. R. A. Pocock, for sale by Gill & Co., Broad street, 25c.

Buy Fernwood lots now before the rise in prices. Easy terms. Enquire of agents.

Lame Back Cured.

"SEVEN years ago I was troubled with lame back and could scarcely move. Several remedies failed, but on trying Hagyards Yellow Oil I found immediate relief, and two bottles effected a complete cure."
MRS. HUMBLA, Corbet P. O., Ont. w.fs

The "Queen" brand of hams and bacon, cut from Iowa corn-fed hogs, cured in granulated sugar and smoked with corn cobs, specially for those who can appreciate a good article. Ask your grocer for "Queen" brand. mar1tf

JOHN DOHERTY, GENERAL SCAVENGER.

Yards, etc., cleaned. Orders left at Mr. G. Doughty, cor. Blanchard and Fort streets, Fell & Co.'s, Fort street, or E. C. Kellogg's cor. Yates and Douglas sts, will be promptly attended to. *ap26-1y

AUCTION SALES.

J. P. DAVIES & CO.,

AUCTIONEERS.

VANCOUVER

FIFTH SALE.

Under instructions from the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works, on behalf of the Province of British Columbia, we will sell by

PUBLIC AUCTION

AT NOON,

AT THE CITY OF VANCOUVER

Tuesday, June 24th, 1890.

The whole or part of the remaining

Lots and Blocks of Lot 540,

—COMPRISING—

219 lots 33 feet by 120 feet.
326 " 66 " " 120 "
33 Blocks, each 2 1-5 acres.

Maps are now ready and may be had on application at the office.

TERMS OF SALE:

¼ cash; ⅓ six months; ⅓ twelve months, with interest on deferred payments at the rate of six per cent. per annum.
Crown Grants, five dollars each.

JOSHUA DAVIES,
my4 Auctioneer.

LOST, $45.

ON FRIDAY, 23RD, BETWEEN JONES & McNeill's Stable, Johnson Street, and the Driving Park, by way of Government and Fort Streets, a purse containing between $40 and $50. The finder returning same to THE COLONIST Office, will be suitably reward. my24

FOR FORT SIMPSON
and all Way Ports.

—THE— STEAMER

BARBARA BOSCOWITZ

Will sail for the North on
Wednesday, May 28th, at 7 P. M.
FROM JANION'S WHARF.
For freight or passage apply to
CAPT. J. D. WARREN,
my24 Agent, Government St.

Alliance Marine Assurance Co.

(LIMITED.)

OF LONDON, ENGLAND.

NOTICE is hereby given that we have ceased to represent the Alliance Marine Assurance Company (Limited), and that any claims which may attach to policies heretofore issued by us will be paid on presentation either at the head office of the company in London, or by Messrs. Jarrott & Co., the company's agents at San Francisco.

(Sd) ROBT. WARD & CO.
Victoria, B.C., May 22, 1890. m3t

THOS. B. NORGATE,
ARCHITECT,
Patent Solicitor and Mechanical Engineer,
70 YATES STREET,
feb11-tf VICTORIA, B. C.

CHINA AND JAPAN
FANCY GOODS.

We have just received a large consignment of all kinds of celebrated
Embroidered Silk Gowns, Shawls, Screens, Etc.;
Also Porcelain, Satsuma, Cloisanne, Bronze, Ivory, Sandalwood and Opium.
Rice. Tea. Sugar.
TAI SOONG & CO.
my1-6m 40 Cormorant street.

LOST!

A GORDON SETTER AND A WHITE AND brown spaniel. Anyone finding the same and bringing them to No. 38 North Park street, will be suitably rewarded. my15-1w

LOST—A parcel containing a child's dress and other articles. Reward on returning to 62 Second street, Work Estate. my21-3t

Municipal Notice

THE OFFICES AT THE CITY HALL

—WILL BE—

Open on Thursday and Friday,

22nd and 23rd instant,

FROM 9 TO 11 A. M.,

And will be

Closed on Saturday 24th inst.

By order,
JOHN GRANT,
Mayor.
Victoria, May 20, 1890. my21

UNIVERSITY OF CALIFORNIA
MEDICAL DEPARTMENT.

The Regular Course of Lectures will begin MONDAY, JUNE 2nd, at 9 o'clock, at the College, Stockton street, corner Chesnut, San Francisco.

R. A. MCLEAN, M.D., Dean.
663 Merchant street, cor. Montgomery.
my11-2w-dw San Francisco.

NOTICE.

THE OFFICES OF THE PROVINCIAL Government will be closed on Thursday the 22nd, Friday the 23rd, and Saturday the 24th instant.

A. C. REDDIE,
Deputy Prov'l Secretary.
Provincial Secretary's Office,
20th May, 1890. my21-t1

JAPANESE AND EUROPEAN GOODS!

JUST ARRIVED.

By S. S. "Batavia," from Japan:—Suites of Furniture in brown and blue cretonne, Flower Pots, Bamboo and Bead Blinds, Fire Screens. Good assortment of Matting, Embroidered Squares, etc.

FINE SELECTION OF TEA. FEW TONS OF RICE.

By C. P. R., a parcel of leading kinds of Biscuits from PEAK, FREAN & CO., for whom we are appointed sole agents.

Per ship "Earl Derby".—Pure Malt Vinegar, from Panter, Woodward & Co., of Bristol, England, in 40-gallon casks. Very fine flavour.

Stock recently bought of C. GABRIEL & CO., now being sold very cheap. French Costumes, Silks, etc., etc., below cost price.

MARCHANT, FUTCHER & CO.
41 Fort Street, Victoria.

FOR THE

22nd, 23rd and 24th.

ATHLETE SLEEVELESS SHIRTS,
" KNEE PANTS,
In Blue, Scarlet, Garnet and Pink.
GENTS' STOCKING AND BELT.
WHITE FLANNEL KNEE PANTS.
BATHING AND ROWING SUITS.

ARTHUR HOLMES'

Corner of Yates and Broad streets.

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30 CASES

Ladies', Gents, Misses and Children's Shoes!

VARIEGATED COLORS, IN LATEST TYLES.

—ALSO—

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—OF THE—

Celebrated Summer "K" Boots

JUST OPENED OUT AT

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We now offer for sale the largest assortment of Boots and Shoes ever offered in this city, at prices beyond the whisper of competition. See them. my11

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"Castoria is so well adapted to children that I recommend it as superior to any prescription known to me."
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Castoria cures Colic, Constipation, Sour Stomach, Diarrhœa, Eructation, Kills Worms, gives sleep, and promotes digestion, Without injurious medication.

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IS NOW RECEIVING

Baby Carriages of Latest Designs. Lancaster Window Shading, some new patterns Carpets, Linoleums, Curtains and Poles, antique Furniture of all kinds.

An invoice of Lincrusta Walton, the most popular of inferior wall decorations.

Furniture, Office Fittings and Mantels of every description made to order.

Largest Stock of Furniture, Crockery and House Furnishings in the Province.

SHOWROOM: 51 TO 55 FORT ST. | FACTORY: HUMBOLDT ST.

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TENDERS.

TO BUILDERS.

SEPARATE TENDERS for the different trades are requested by Tuesday, May 27, at 5 p. m., for the building and warming by hot water, of a residence on Fernwood road, for Fred. J. Claxton, Esq.

Plans to be seen and forms of tender obtained at the office of the undersigned.

The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted. CORNELIUS J. SOULE,
my21-5t Architect.

NOTICE TO BUILDERS.

TENDERS WILL BE RECEIVED BY THE undersigned until Monday noon, the 26th instant, for the erection of a Frame Dwelling, corner of Menzies and Rithet streets, James Bay.

The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

EDWD. MALLANDAINE,
Victoria, Architect.
May 17th, 1890. my18

Provincial Royal Jubilee Hospital.

(Incorporated 1890.)

RESIDENT MEDICAL OFFICER.

APPLICATIONS FOR THIS POSITION at the above Institution will be received up to the 3rd day of June next, at 6 p. m.

All applications are to be made IN WRITING ONLY, stating age, qualifications, copies of testimonials, if previously engaged in hospital practice, and what remuneration has hitherto been received by applicant in such position.

Applications to be marked "Resident Medical Officer," and addressed for the new Board of Directors to

WILLIAM M. CHUDLEY,
Hon. Sec. pro tem.
Victoria, B. C., 3rd May, 1890. my4-td

Provincial Royal Jubilee Hospital.

(Incorporated 1890.)

NURSES.

APPLICATIONS FOR THE POSITION of Superintendent Matron and Nurse, and three under nurses, for the above Institution will be received up to the 3rd day of June next, at 6 p. m.

All applications are to be made IN WRITING ONLY, stating age, copies of testimonials, if specially trained, where previously engaged, and the amount of remuneration hitherto received for such services.

Applications to be marked "Nurses," and addressed for the new Board of Directors to

WILLIAM M. CHUDLEY,
Hon. Sec. pro tem.
Victoria, B. C., 3rd May, 1890. my4-td

Provincial Royal Jubilee Hospital.

(Incorporated 1890.)

TO CONTRACTORS FOR SUPPLIES.

SEALED TENDERS WILL BE RECEIVED for supplying the above Institution for 13 months from 31st May, 1890, up to 30th June, 1891, for the following articles, to be delivered free:—

Meat, Vegetables, Bread, Milk, Drugs, Medical Appliances, Coals and Groceries, and to be of the best qualities, similar to the articles supplied to the present Royal Hospital.

All tenders to be marked for the special article tendered for therein, and directed to the undersigned for the new Board of Directors, not later than 3rd day of June next at 6 p. m.

WILLIAM M. CHUDLEY,
Hon. Sec. pro tem.
Victoria, B. C., 3rd May, 1890. my4-td

Notice to Contractors

SEPARATE SEALED TENDERS will be received by the Hon. Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works, up to noon of Friday, 30th instant, for the construction of a sidewalk on the Craigflower road, and for a continuation of the sidewalk on the Esquimalt road.

Specifications can be seen and forms for tender obtained at the office of the undersigned.

The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

W. S. GORE,
Surveyor-General.
Lands and Works Department,
Victoria, B. C., 20th May, 1890. my21

CANOE CREEK FERRY.

LILLOOET DISTRICT.

SEALED PROPOSALS, properly endorsed, will be received by the Honourable Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works up to noon of Saturday, 14th June next, for the right to maintain and operate a Ferry at Canoe Creek for a term of five years.

Proposals must give a description of the size and kind of boat intended to be used, the mode of propelling the same, and the various rates of toll proposed to be collected, and give the names of two persons who are willing to execute a bond for $500 to secure the faithful carrying out of the contract.

The Government will pay an annual subsidy of $300 to aid in operating the ferry.

All officers of the Government, with their animals and freight, to pass free.

W. S. GORE,
Surveyor-General.
Lands and Works Department,
Victoria, B. C., 9th May, 1890. my14

NOTICE.

To Bridge Contractors.

SEALED TENDERS WILL BE RECEIVED by the Hon. Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works, up to noon of Friday, 6th June next, for the construction of a Howe Truss Bridge over the Somas River, Alberni.

Plans and Specifications may be seen and forms for tender obtained at the Government office, Alberni, and at the office of the undersigned.

The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

W. S. GORE,
Surveyor-Gen'l.
Lands and Works Department,
Victoria, B. C., 12th May, 1890. my13

VICTORIA RICE MILLS,

STORE STREET, VICTORIA, B. C.

—MILLERS OF—

China and Japan Rice,
Rice Meal, Rice Flour,
Chit Rice, Etc., Etc.

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LOCAL AND PROVINCIAL.

Dress Muslins

Ten cents per yard, colors warranted fast. Russell, McDonald & Co., opposite the Iron Church, Douglas street.

Boating.

Fancy flannel and silk shirts, in great variety, at the Golden Rule Clothing Store, 40 Yates street. tf

Ladies!

Court Slippers and Oxfords,
In great variety,
Mansell's, 95 Government Street. *

Pendray's Extract of Soap

is the best compound out, as a washing powder. It works a miracle in the wash tub, and equally good for all purposes where soap is required. Ask your grocer for it.

Sold to Sigmund Schoen.

The entire stock of teas, etc., carried by the late John Boyd was disposed of yesterday to Sigmund Schoen, grocer, for $4,085. He has not yet announced whether or not he will continue the business at the old stand.

The Final Meeting.

The final general committee meeting of the Jubilee Hospital will be held on Friday next, the 30th inst., at the Board of Trade rooms. The business will be the reception of the final report of the building committee and the winding up of their affairs. The new board of incorporation comes into force on the 31st inst.

The Provincial Museum.

Something like one hundred signatures were placed on the visitors' book at the museum on the 24th. This was not, by any means, the number that visited the institution which was largely patronized during the celebration. The visitors were mostly strangers from the other side and the east.

Trying Again.

The steamer Rainbow, which returned yesterday, carried to Comox a large quantity of diamond prospecting machinery, including a big steam drill, for the new Vancouver Coal company. Explorations for a new mine will be started as soon as the plant can be put together, and will be prosecuted as rapidly as possible.

Good Indications.

From Rock Bay to Point Ellice bridge the rails for the street car track are now distributed, as well as the poles, and everything is ready for the construction of the Esquimalt line to commence. The poles are laid in lines well past the latter bridge, and it thought that a contract will be let and ground broken by the track layers next week.

Still in Salt Water.

Although it was understood by the officials of the E. and N. railway that their new locomotive which slipped to the bottom of San Francisco Bay had been brought to the surface again, it now transpires that the favorable report was not justified. The locomotive is still submerged, and probably cannot be recovered. If such is the case the loss will be a severe one upon the company.

Fun Ahead.

The managing committee of the Victoria Athletic club are discussing the advisability of holding their annual picnic at Langford Plains on the 20th of June, when, it is expected, that the swimming trophy will be competed for. Two other picnics are already "on" for the same week, and the indications are that the present season will be a busy one for the raspberry pie and the bumble bee.

Grasshopper Depredations.

The grasshoppers have commenced depredations in the district between Kamloops and Shuswap, and fears are entertained that they will do serious damage to the hay and grain crops. Should the present dry weather continue for a lengthened period, many fields will not yield any crop at all, as the small streams are now almost dry, and there is no water available for irrigating purposes.—Inland Sentinel.

A Bold Thief.

Mr. P. T. Johnston, florist and seedsman, has for some time past suffered from the periodical visits of a petty thief. His flower garden has been ruthlessly plundered, his daily paper has regularly disappeared, and his letters have been taken from the delivery box. On Sunday evening he came within an ace of capturing the intruder, but it was an instance of "so near and yet so far." The thief is still unidentified.

Pygmalion and Galatea.

The preparations for this classical production are all but complete, and the prospects of success are more than favorable, if a glance at the almost filled seat plan at Lombard & Co.'s store is any guide. There has been no effort spared to ensure the success of the venture. The costumes will arrive by the Walla Walla this evening, but the ladies taking part have had their dresses made in the city; they will no doubt be madels of taste and correct to the period they are to represent.

The Lost Heron Lead.

An enterprising mining company have at last struck the continuation of the celebrated lost Heron lead, on the lower end of Grouse Creek. It will be remembered that the Heron company (Mr. James Laidlaw, foreman) worked a very excellent piece of ground during the winter of 1866-7, which netted to the owners (eight) some $20,000 each. Large sums of money and labor were expended to find its continuation down stream covering years, but without success It is reported that the present fortunate miners have found the run of gold on a higher level than it ever before had been looked for.—Inland Sentinel.

Nayal Notes.

The work of repairing H. M. S. Amphion is now completed, and the Admiralty Inspector is testing every part. It is expected that the big warship will leave the dock on Tuesday next.

H.M.S. Amphion is expected back from Honolulu about the middle of June.

Although the sailing orders of the Amphion will depend entirely upon the new admiral, it is expected that the Mediterranean will be her destination.

Rear-Admiral Hotham, who is now on his way to Esquimalt in the Warspite, is the youngest admiral in the service; his captain, Hon. Hedworth Lampton, is the youngest captain, and the Warspite's secretary the youngest secretary.

A Nasty Fall.

While working on the deck of the steamer Mystery at Spratt's wharf yesterday morning, Mr. John Milne, a boiler maker of the Albion Iron Works, slipped and fell to the bottom of the hold, a distance of about six feet. The fall deprived him of sensibility, and his head was badly cut and bruised. Mr. Shaw was one of the first to come to his assistance, and had him taken to his own home, where his brother, Dr. Milne, attended to his injuries. Though very painful they are not considered of a dangerous character.

Name Changed.

The name of the company which owns the famous Treadwell mine has been changed from the Alaska Mill & Mining Company to the Alaska Treadwell Gold Mining Company. The general public did not know to what company the first name applied, while the other makes it clear to all.

Under Two Hats.

On Sunday evening the police arrested a stranger, who was attempting to carry two heavy satchels and wear two hats at one and the same time, on suspicion of his being a thief. He satisfactorily explained how he became possessed of the various portions of his travelling outfit, offered to prove an alibi at any time, and was released.

Indian Merry Makers.

On Sunday afternoon, a game of baseball was played on the Indian reserve between a team of Victoria Indians and a nine from Port Angeles. The home players won with the greatest of ease. The match was for a $70 purse. Now the victors are anxious to meet all comers of their own race. A prize of $100 is offered for a baseball match at Cowichan next week, as well as $50 for a foot race, and $100 for a canoe race.

Holiday Robberies.

The robbery of the residences of Ald Smith, James Bay, and of Captain Cavin, Spring Ridge, both of which was entered during the celebration, were reported to the police on Sunday, and the officers are searching for the offenders. Jewelry was taken at both places visited. The home of Mr. E. Fawcett, Franklin street, was also invaded on Saturday afternoon, and a gold locket and chain and $15.50 in coin was appropriated. A Chinaman, in this case, is suspected.

A Further Adjournment.

At the adjourned meeting of the Court of Assize yesterday, a further adjournment was made to June 17th of the cases against R. Parker and L. Goodacre. Three of the the jurymen were not present when the names were called, John Parker, R. Cruickshank and Oliver Jackson, and the learned judge imposed upon them a nominal fine of twenty-five cents. John Parker, however, put in an appearance afterwards, and explained to the court the cause of his absence. The imposition of a fine was in consequence wtthdrawn.

Kamloops Spring Assizes.

The spring assizes open at Kamloops on Monday week, the 2nd prox., and although the docket is not a very heavy one there are cases coming up of more than ordinary magnitude. The one in which the most interest will probably centre is Regina v. Spencer; the charge being murder. The civil docket will comprise one or more cases of a peculiarly interesting character, being of a local nature, and some rich developments are anticipated. The grand jury have been chosen mostly from the outlying districts, very few being taken from among the residents in Kamloops.—Inland Sentinel.

Government Surveys.

A few days since there was noted in THE COLONIST the departure of a party to carry on the work of survey in the "unknown" section of this province, as announced during the session by Hon. Mr. Robson. On Friday a second expedition left, under Mr. Tuck, for the Nitinat district, the object being to survey and lay out the land suitable for sale and settlement. In a few days another party will leave to commence operations in the San Juan Valley. The results of the labors of these expeditions will be awaited with considerable interest, as it is unquestionable that the knowledge which there is of immense sections of our territory is of the most limited character.

From Rock Creek.

A private letter, received yesterday from Rock Creek contains the pleasing intelligence that the Laura Hydraulic Mining Co.'s claim is showing up splendidly, and promises to turn out a large amount of money this year. Mr. Douglas, the representative of the Standard Oil Co., which has an important claim in this district, is expected shortly, when further developments may be looked for on their property. A four-foot seam of excellent coal has been struck at about half a mile from the mouth of Rock Creek, and efforts will be made to mine it as soon as possible. It is announced that a Spokane company contemplates the erection of a mill at Rock Creek during the present summer season.

A Lunatic at Large.

Residents in the neighborhood of Fowl Bay are very much disturbed at present, owing to the appearance in their midst of a supposed lunatic, who in the hours of the evening amuses himself by chasing ladies and children, to their very considerable alarm. The police have been notified in regard to the unwelcome visitor, who is described as a man of 35 or 40 years of age, with a dark moustache, but no whiskers. He goes bare-headed and bare-footed, and only half clothed. His habit is to spring suddenly from bushes by the roadside, follow ladies or little ones to their gates, and then disappear at a rapid pace across the fields. On Sunday evening three young ladies were very badly terrified by his appearance and his pursuit of them for over half a mile; and it is to be hoped that police or big brothers will soon attend to him.

Afraid of the Cars.

Yesterday afternoon about 3 o'clock, just as the street cars had left the Jubilee Hospital corner, two men drove up in a buggy drawn by a young horse. The animal becoming fractious, the men say that they called to the driver of the car to stop; but this he neglected to do. A few "prayers" went both upward and downward as the horse continued to caper. One man jumped out and caught him by the head, but still he plunged; the result being that he broke from his harness, snapping the whiffletree; but the combined efforts of the men succeeded in preventing a runaway. The car, however, went on as if nothing was the matter. Probably schedule time had to be kept; but the aggrieved parties think that the car people might have waited to see whether or not assistance was required, while seeing, as they did, the maddened horse, they are of the opinion that the car should have been stopped till the vehicle had got past. Fortunately for the parties, who had no rope with which to make repairs, Deputy Sheriff Siddals happened to drive up, and producing a strong cord, enabled the occupants of the buggy to go on their way rejoicing.

Victoria's Lady Macbeth.

Early yesterday morning—at about 3 o'clock—residents of Blanchard avenue, near Fisgard street, were awakened and thoroughly startled by a woman's shrill screams. On looking out of their windows they saw a white-robed figure on the sidewalk, and on investigation it was found that a lady somnambulist was indulging in a night promenade, clothed only in her "robe de nuit." She walked rapidly up the street, until about a block from her home, when she fell upon the sidewalk, the fall restoring her to consciousness.

Capt. Whitelaw Arrives.

Capt. Whitelaw, the veteran wrecker of the Pacific Coast, is at present in the city completing arrangements for making an effort to raise the sunken Barnard Castle. As he generally has good luck in all his undertakings it is to be expected that he will be successful here, although others have tried and failed.

Canadian Pacific Fast Freights.

The Canadian Pacific has put into effect a fast freight schedule from the Atlantic seaboard to the Pacific coast, by which consignments are brought from New York to San Francisco by way of Vancouver and the steamer line in from seventeen to nineteen days. Through cars are run to Vancouver from North Bay, Ontario. Similar time is being made in eastern freight shipment.

Courteous Officials.

When the newspaper men who were anxious to accompany the Royal train east from Vancouver, applied to Mr. Harry Abbott, the general superintendent, for permission, he very kindly did all in his power to assist them. He said that the orders from headquarters were that no one but the train crew were to be allowed on board without a permit from Sir John McNeill, but that if they would obtain that permit he would place his private car at their disposal and give them any further accommodation he could. General McNeill's permission could not be obtained by the representatives of the press, who have their own opinion of his action; but Mr. Abbott is entitled to their hearty thanks, and good wishes. Like all the officials of his division, he is courteous, accommodating, and a gentleman to all.

Methodist Conference.

The following are the delegates chosen by the British Columbia conference to represent the Methodists of British Columbia at the General Conference to be held in Montreal in September next:—Rev. C. Bryant, president of the conference (ex officio); Rev. Joseph Hall and Rev. E. Robson; Rev. T. Crosby (reserve delegate). Lay delegates: Messrs. Spencer, James Little and A. C. Wells.

The report of the Educational Committee showed receipts $250.

The Committee on Temperance strongly urged the necessity of training tht young in temperance principles, enjoining the practice of total abstinence as a Christian duty, and advising members of the Conference to do all that is possible to secure the election of such men as will legislate in the interest of temperance and morality.

Rev. J. E. Starr bade an affectionate farewell to the brethren of the British Columbia Conference with whom he had laboured so pleasantly for the last three years.

A notice was given by Rev. Joseph Hall of a resolution to admit women as members of the Official Board.

Along the Docks.

Schooner Mountain Chief sails this morning for the West Coast.

Sealer Wanderer is lying here, awaiting the orders of her owners as to whether or not she will proceed to Behring's sea.

Tugs Lorne and Pilot have gone down the Straits seeking.

Steamer Rainbow returned from Bute Inlet yesterday with two Victoria passengers—John Urquhart and S. R. Young. She reports business booming at the logging camps.

Steamer George W. Elder sailed for Alaska on Sunday afternoon. In her upbound freight were consignments of horses and general stores for Wrangel from Victoria.

Hunting schooner Rambler, from Port Townsend, cleared for Alaska at the custom house here yesterday.

Steamer Maude has gone over to Port Townsend with a cargo of British Columbia hay.

Irving & Laidlaw's new canner steamer will be ready for launching fron Turpel's ways in a few days.

Dexter & Prevost's new steam scow is ready for service.

Steamer Mystery will be ready for work in about ten days.

Barge Eliza is on Clarke & Watson's ways for repairs. She looks pretty much used up below the water line.

Near the pier of the Outer wharf, and immediately in the entrance to the Inner wharf, is a sunken log which, if not taken away, will either sink some little boat or put a hole in one of the pleasure yachts.

Steamer City of Topeka is due from Alaska.

Steamer Walla Walla is due this evening from San Francisco.

Steamer Queen (Queen of the Pacific) sailed for Port Townsend from San Francisco to go on the Alaska route for the season, with Capt Carroll in command.

Steamer Maude went over to Tacoma yesterday morning with forty tons of Fraser River hay shipped by Brackman & Ker.

Schooner Carmolite and bark Queen Victoria are both overdue at this port. No fears for their safety are yet entertained.

ELECTION OF SCHOOL TRUSTEES.

Who are to Vote and How Voters are Registered.

The following information respecting elections for city school trustees may be of interest to readers of THE COLONIST:

VOTERS—Any householder or freeholder resident in any ward of the city six months' previous to the application to register, and the wife of any such householder or freeholder, shall be entitled to be registered; and any person registered as a voter shall be eligible to vote in the ward for which he is registered.

REGISTRATION OF VOTERS.—The register of voters for this city is kept by the superintendent of education, and will be closed from the 31st May to 1st July. The declaration required of every person desiring to be registered may be taken before a justice of the peace.

QUALIFICATION OF SCHOOL TRUSTEES.—Any male or female householder or freeholder in the school district of the full age of 21 years, and registered as a voter, may be elected to serve as a trustee, provided always that no clergyman of any denomination shall be eligible for the position.

Nominations for one trustee in each of the three city wards will be made on Monday, the 16th June next, and the poll (if any) take place on the following day.

FIRE Screens at T. N. Hibben & Co.'s.

PERSONAL.

Rev. Ebenezer Robson has been appointed by the stationing committee to the Methodist church at New Westminster.

Miss Ina Jones, of Portland, Me., spent Sunday here on her way to Seattle. She came west by the C. P. R. to be wedded to a young man over the Sound, who left the Bay Tree state to make a home for himself and her on the Pacific coast.

F. H. Osgood and wife came over by the North Pacific last evening.

Mrs. E. C. Neufelder was a passenger by the Kingston from Seattle last evening.

H. F. Keefer came over from Puget Sound by the Kingston yesterday afternoon.

Miss Reid (Rev. Dr. Reid's daughter) arrived home last evening after a seven months' visit to Montana. She says Victoria looks finer than ever.

Sheriff McMillan returned from the mainland last evening by the Yosemite. He reports everything quiet on the other side.

W. H. Hooper, late of Brandon, Man., has returned from a pleasure trip to Southern California, Friendly Islands and Honolulu. He thinks he will ultimately take up his abode in Friendly Islands. He is at the Driard.

Judge and Mrs. Bole came over from Westminster last night.

Dr. Patterson and family, of Winnipeg, left for California on Monday morning, having passed a week very pleasantly in Victoria.

James Leamy, S. T. Mackintosh, W. Drysdale and Capt. Scoullar left for home this morning after spending a couple of days pleasantly here.

Sergeant Kanes, one of the most popular non-coms of "C" battery, has purchased his discharge and left the service.

J. E. McRae, purser of the Abyssinia, returned home this morning.

THE JUBILEE HOSPITAL.

A Visit to It After the Formal Opening—The Arrangements so Far as Completed.

Yesterday, a COLONIST reporter took a run up to the Royal Jubilee Hospital to see to what extent matters had settled down to, what are expected to be their ordinary conditions. He found that Steward Garland was absent, attending to the disposition of the goods and chattels of the old establishment; but was at once taken hold of by Mrs. Garland, and shown through the length and breadth of the entire establishment. On the right of the main entrance is the governors' room, which, so soon as the furniture arrives, will be comfortably supplied with Morocco seated oaken chairs. Opposite is a reception room; further on are the quarters of the medical staff, and adjoining them is the dispensary. The main passage opens upon a series of corridors leading to the different wings, which form a convenient promenade for patients who are unable to get out of doors. There are three public wards, each capable of accommodating sixteen beds, while on the ground floor, and conveniently located, are about a dozen private rooms. The bedsteads in the wards are partly in wood and partly of iron, but the latter will eventually be distributed all over. The mattrasses are of hair, underneath being a straw palliasse.

One of the wards is already full of convalescents, while in another there are ten patients. There are two public sitting and dining rooms all comfortably furnished, and manifestly taken full advantage of by the patients, who were for the time being in possession. The nurses' kitchens and pantries are conveniently placed, and are well appointed, dumb waiters connecting them with the main kitchen in the basement. The bath and wash rooms accommodation is all that could be wished for, a special feature being the facility with which, when required, fresh air can be flushed through them. There are three operating rooms, which will be supplied with all the latest requisites. There is a room for accident patients close by the doctors' quarters, who will there be on hand without any delay. One of the private rooms has been handsomely furnished by Mrs. Alex. McLean and the appointments of another are the gift of Mr. Joshua Davies. Outside and in a separate building are wards for the accommodation of erysipelas and fever patients, who will thus be kept separate from all the rest. The dining room for the staff is a handsome room. On the first flat, upstairs, are two double rooms and four single ones; but how these are to be disposed of has not yet been determined. There are six convenient rooms on the third storey, with which communication is had by a dumb waiter. Below, in the basement, are the kitchen, pantry, store room and three furnace rooms. The former is fitted with a large and improved range, the supply of crockery and table ware, part of which has already arrived being large. The basement is painted in drab, the rest being in oak grain. The furniture and fittings are, so far, only partly in place, but throughout there is an air of cleanliness and sweetness that is most refreshing.

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NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT I intend to apply to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for the purchase of certain lands situate on De Horsey Island, Coast District, described as follows: commencing at a stake about 900 yards or thereabouts north-east from Parry Point; thence in a north-easterly direction following the shore line, and containing 160 acres more or less.

JNO. IRVING.

May 26th, 1890. my27

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT I intend to apply to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for the purchase of certain lands situate on Skeena River, Coast District, described as follows: Commencing at a stake about 150 yards or thereabouts north-east from Powell Point, thence in a northeasterly direction following the shore line to a stake marked "A," and containing 160 acres, more or less.

J. A. LAIDLAW.

May 26th, 1890.

SATURDAY HALF-HOLIDAY.

ON AND AFTER THE SEVENTEENTH day of May, the workshops of the undersigned Horse shoers and Carriage builders will be closed every Saturday at one o'clock.

(Signed,)

W. C. BRYANT & SON,	WM. MABLE,
W. LEDINGHAM,	WM. MCCURRACA,
M. J. CONLIN,	WM. J. HODGE,
JAMES HAY,	W. MCKITRIE,
GEO. LEDINGHAM,	WM. POWELL.
A. MCGREGOR,	HUGH CALDWELL,
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NOTICE.

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CAPITAL STOCK, $5,000,000.00

A meeting of the Shareholders, for the consideration of the By-laws and the election of the Board of Directors, etc., will be held in

HARMONY HALL,

VIEW STREET,

On Wednesday, the 21st inst.,

AT EIGHT P. M.

Shares taken up at or previous to this meeting will enable the holders to participate in the business thereof.

The share list is now open at the office of the undersigned, 30 Fort street.

B. WILLIAMS,

Victoria, B. C., Sec. pro tem.
May 12th, 1890. my13-td

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TO LET.—The property known as the Rock Bay Tannery, also the Bay Tannery at Rock Bay. The plant is complete in each place, and will be leased for a short or long term. Inquire of Richardson, Heathorn & Jones, 42 Yates street. m12-1m

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FURNITURE FOR SALE.—The nearly new Furniture of a small house and a Piano for sale, and house to let; centrally situated. About ten minutes' walk from post office. Address in the first place by letter,

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A WELL furnished bedroom to let in a small family, within five minutes of Post office. Home comforts, bathroom, &c. J. H., COLONIST office. m4-1m

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FOR SALE.

ENGLISH "VICTORIA" (modern build), shafts and pole; good condition; double and single harness. Apply Drawer 5, Victoria post office. my5-tf

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May 1st, 1890. may2-3mo-dw

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100 ACRES OF GOOD LAND—25 acres cleared and fenced. Good house and barn, $2,500. Apply A. TOLLER, 18 Broad street. my11

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NOTICES.

NOTICE.

HAVING THIS DAY DISPOSED OF THE Stock in Trade and good will of my business to MESSRS. COWAN & WILSON, I take this opportunity of thanking you for the liberal patronage with which you have favored me for many years, and I respectfully ask for a continuance of the same to my successors, whom I can confidently recommend to your favorable consideration. I assuming all the liabilities and collecting all the debts connected with the late business.

S. J. PITTS.

Victoria, B. C., 10th May, 1890.

REFERRING to the above announcement, we respectfully ask for a continuance of the patronage with which you have favored Mr. S. J. PITTS in the past. We assure you that any orders you may entrust us with will receive our prompt and careful attention, and that our aim will be to merit your confidence and support.

my11-1m COWAN & WILSON.

DISSOLUTION.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE partnership business heretofore carried on by James Angus and Benjamin Gordon, under the name of Angus & Gordon, wholesale and retail grocers, has this day been dissolved by effluxion of time. James Angus retains the book debts and credits of the late firm of Angus & Gordon and assumes all the liabilities thereof. The business will be hereafter carried on by Benjamin Gordon at the premises occupied by the late firm.

[Signed.] JAMES ANGUS,
B. GORDON.

Victoria, May 1, 1890.

In continuing the business of the firm of Angus & Gordon I have to thank the public for the very liberal patronage extended to it during the past three years, and respectfully solicit a continuance of the same. I shall endeavor to retain and add to the large trade built up by the late firm, by keeping a first-class stock of all kinds of family groceries, provisions, wines and liquors, and by careful attention to the wants of customers.

B. GORDON.

DISSOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP.

THE PARTNERSHIP HERETOFORE EXisting between A. J. Rowbotham and L. Dickinson has this day been dissolved by mutual consent, L. Dickinson assuming all liabilities and receiving all assets. The business will hereafter be carried on as L. Dickenson, 113 Douglas street. P. O. Box 349.

May 17th, 1890. my18-2w

ESTATE OF JOHN BOYD,

DECEASED.

CREDITORS ARE REQUESTED TO send in their claims, and debtors to pay their accounts forthwith to J. Burns, No. 5 Trounce avenue.

GEORGE WALKER, } Executors.
ap30-1m JAMES BURNS, }

NOTICE.

ALL OUTSTANDING ACCOUNTS DUE the LATE FIRM OF S. J. PITTS, up to the 10th instant, will be received by me at my old quarters, No. 10 Yates street (at present occupied by my successors, Messrs. Cowan & Wilson), and all accounts due by the late firm will be paid by me on presentation.

Victoria, B. C., S. J. PITTS.
May 12th, 1890. my13-1m

NOTICE.

To Owners of Dogs.

Owing to the depredations of dogs at Cloverdale Farm, POISON is laid over the premises. All dogs trespassing, unaccompanied by owners, will be destroyed.

April 22nd, 1890. J. W. TOLMIE.
ap23-1m

The Shuswap and Okanagon R'y Co.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT A special general meeting of the shareholders of the Company will be held at the office of the company in the city of Victoria, in the Province of British Columbia, on Saturday the 31st day of May, 1890, for the purpose of considering a resolution to be submitted to the shareholders, and if approved of by them, of passing such resolution for the issue of bonds of the Company for a sum not exceeding $25,000 per mile, in pursuance of the provisions of the Act of the Parliament of Canada incorporating the said Company, and for securing the bonds to be so issued by a mortgage deed, with such powers, provisions and stipulations as may be described in the said deed, and may be approved of by the shareholders; and also for the purpose of considering such other business as may be brought before such meeting of shareholders.

P. LARKIN, President.

Dated at Victoria, this
17th day of April, 1890. ap25-td

NOTICE.

F. H. ROBSON, of KAMLOOPS,

IN LIQUIDATION.

ALL PERSONS HAVING CLAIMS against the above estate are requested to send the same to the office.

R. P. RITHET & Co., Wharf st., Victoria,

in detail, duly sworn to before a Notary Public or Justice of the Peace, on or before 31st day of May, 1890.

ap12-td R. P. RITHET,
Assignee of the Estate.

W. H. DANBY,

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*** Earl Russell communicated to the College of Physicians that he had received a despatch from Her Majesty's Consul at Manilla, to the effect that Cholera had been raging fearfully, and that the ONLY remedy of any service was CHLORODYNE.—See "Lancet," December 31, 1864.

CAUTION.—Vice-Chancellor Sir W. Page Wood stated that Dr. J. Collis Browne was, undoubtedly, the inventor of Chlorodyne; that the story of the defendant Freeman was deliberately untrue, which, he regretted to say, had been sworn to.—See "The Times," July 13, 1864.

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GIVEN UP AS LOST.

An Atlantic Steamer Believed to Have Gone to the Bottom With All on Board.

Posted Two weeks Ago at Lloyd's as Missing—Thought to Have Struck an Iceberg.

NEW YORK, May 25.—The steamer Bayswater, which sailed from New York on March 16 for Lisbon, is undoubtedly lost. She had a crew of thirty men, all of whom are supposed to have gone to the bottom with the ill-fated vessel. It is thought that the steamer collided with an iceberg and went to pieces. She was posted two weeks ago by the Lloyds of London as missing.

The Bayswater was commanded by Captain Taylor. She was 1,039 tons net, 1,623 gross and 1,522 tons under deck. She was built in 1886 at Sunderland, England, by J. Blummer & Co., and was owned by Watts, Ward & Co., of London. She was a freight steamship and was built of iron throughout.

At the local office of the company this morning, Mr. Epy, one of the firm, said: "The Bayswater is undoubtedly lost. You know there have been many good ships that sailed one fine day from port and never turned up again, and their fates will never be known. The Bayswater was worth in the neighborhood of $100,000. I suppose she was insured. We are only the agents, and, of course, do not know either what she was worth, the amount of insurance or any of those little points. She had a crew of about thirty men in all, including the officers, sailors and stokers. I understand that the insurance on her cargo was paid some ten days ago. The Bayswater carried a cargo of 74,750 bushels of wheat, shipped by G. Amsinick & Co., of this city. It was valued at almost $65,000."

CORPORAL PUNISHMENT.

TO THE EDITOR: — Miss Cameron's letters of Friday and to-day, are to me sad proofs, how, even a noble and chivalrous, nature may be warped by an evil system. Miss Cameron has no idea why the boy Burkholder was suddenly seized with a rebellious spirit, which could only be exorcised by blows, each of which left a mark. I believe the dullest boy in her class could explain the mystery to her, and, certainly, no one who carefully reads her first letter, will be in any doubt about the matter. Burkholder is a boy of 14 years of age, and, as Miss Cameron explains, has been four terms in the room, and so cannot be of brilliant parts intellectually. The boy was stupid, and, to shame him, he is told to learn his lesson from the smallest boy in the class. Naturally Burkholder resents this, and says he would sooner learn his lesson at home. And then comes the thrashing for disobedience. Has Miss Cameron no sympathy for the sensitiveness of a big boy, who is not only to be humbled by this act on the part of the teacher, but to have the laugh of the class turned upon him for many a day through this method of instructing him? It may seem a new and revolutionary doctrine, but I hold that a boy of fourteen has some rights which ought to be respected, and that no case has yet been made out against him sufficient to justify blows, every one of which left its mark. I may say here, that there are other boys in Miss Cameron's class who wear her mark. In one case the blood appeared through the boy's trousers, and in another, the mother tells me, the stocking was sticking in the wound. I have no doubt, these boys deserved some punishment, but I refuse to believe that such blows with a rawhide were justified in either case. Miss Cameron says she must take human nature as she finds it; but the question is, will any human nature be left in boys in whose minds there rankles the remembrance of cruel and unjust punishments? I am extremely sorry to make these remarks, but, as Miss Cameron refers to me in both her letters, I feel bound to enter my protest (with all due respect) against her ideas of school discipline. But, as I said before, I did not know about the Burkholder case when I preached my sermon, and it will not do for Mr. Hayward to attempt to ride off the field in triumph over the prostrate body of that unfortunate boy. Neither he nor Mr. Erskine seem inclined to answer my questions, so I will answer them myself. Mr. Hayward is aware that the teachers do not record every case of corporal punishment, as the law directs, and that some of them would find it impossible to do so and get through the subjects on the time table. In the public schools report for 1889 the number of cases of corporal punishment reported for all the schools in Victoria for the year is 56—a number which, I am certain, will not cover the cases of corporal punishment in one department for one month. Again, Mr. Hayward does approve of the rawhide, though there is a resolution of the board forbidding its use. The ratepayers will soon have an opportunity of expressing their views, and I leave the whole question in their hands.

P. MCF. MACLEOD.

THE REGATTA ON THE 24TH INST.

TO THE EDITOR:—Now that another interesting event is passed, the same unfortunate faults of past years have to be recorded as to the so-called "arrangements" for the occasion. The Gorge was even more lovely than usual under the influence of a glorious sunshine and cloudless sky. The company was as numerous and genial as heretofore, those afloat evidently on pleasure bent, and gradually, but surely, learning, as a rule, understood laws governing their conduct when races are coming off. Not so, however, was this the case on the part of the "scow," the wicked demon of the show, who contributed, in no small degree, by its offensive conduct to spoil ALL in the ugliest manner at the very time when the great concourse of people were most interested. What could have been devised more wicked than the placing of one of those ughest of the ugliest right in front of the most interesting event of the afternoon—the Siwash canoe contest—and were there not anathemas and wishes expressed by the hundreds, which if carried out, would have soon disposed of those in charge of the "scow?" For the future let it be absolutely imperative that these unpicturesque objects take up their positions say an hour before the first event, and remain there until the close of the last event. All races have their course defined and kept clear. Without these first rules be observed disappointment must ensue, and competitors will gradually drop out in disgust.

VISITOR.

GRAND SUCCESS OF THE QUEEN'S BIRTHDAY COMMEMORATION

TO THE EDITOR:—With the general expressions of gratification at the marked success of the committee of management to minister to the happiness of the thousands of visitors that flocked to our shores on this holiday occasion, there come unhappily some very ugly rumors of extortionate charges having been made on our visitors. Now if there is no truth in these rumors it is a libel on our citizens, and the sooner it is dealt with the better but, if on the other hand, there is truth in it, it is a matter that calls for indignant condemnation, investigation and exposure. It would be impossible to imagine anything more repugnant to the feelings of this community, or more inimical to its interests than such attempts at extortion, and taking shabby advantage of visitors who spend their money freely when visiting us on such occasions. Now the question comes as to the best way of dealing with this matter, as it is impossible for us to remain quiet under such reproach, and submit to it without disapprobation. It seems to me the committee of management should take it up, and ask for information of such cases of extortion, to be sent to the hon. secretary, and that the newspapers of the other side should be supplied authentic information. If told, such cases of imposition would be thankfully received by the said hon. secretary.

A CITIZEN OF VICTORIA.

KAMLOOPS NEWS NOTES.

(From the Inland Sentinel.)

Mr. J. O. Grahame, who was so seriously injured in a runaway accident, a couple of weeks ago, is recovering rapidy and will soon be himself again.

Mr. H. V. Rudd has resigned his position as accountant in the Bank of B.C. at Kamloops, and is succeeded by Mr. T. H. Paterson, late of Vancouver. Mr. Rudd has not yet decided as to his future movements.

Mr. J. A. Mara, M. P., is spending a good part of his time on the rail between Kamloops and Revelstoke, his interests in the Columbia and Kootenay Navigation Co. demanding his frequent attendance at the latter place.

We regret to announce the serious illness of S. J. Tunstall, M. D., who has been confined to his room for a number of days. A combined attack of congestion of the lungs and pleurisy is the ailment. His condition is so low that none but nurse and physician are allowed to see him.

On Monday evening a young son of Mr. Bayntun, tonsorial artist, had a narrow escape from drowning. The little fellow was playing on the river bank opposite the Cosmopolitan hotel when some straw on which he was standing slipped into the river, carrying him along. The accident was noticed by a number of people, and Mr. J. Thompson, of Illecillewaet, jumped in to rescue the boy, but was unable to do so owing to the strong current carrying him beyond reach. Mr. W. Wood, of Wood & Tunstall, had, in the meantime, taken a position on a boom stretching out into the river some thirty yards below the point where the boy fell in, and as the lad floated down he fished him out. The little fellow was almost strangled, and a few moments more in the water would doubtless have placed his life beyond recovery.

REVELSTOKE NOTES.

Business is reported as being very quiet at present, but there are good prospects for a lively summer trade.

Considerable activity is noticeable in shipping for down the river ports, the steamer Kootenai being heavily laden every trip. This boat is giving good satisfaction, and is a fine craft throughout.

The new steamer Lytton is rapidly nearing completion, and will be ready for operation in a short time—probably by the 1st of June.

During this week the encroachment of the river undermined the bank, and a large portion of it fell into the river carrying away a considerable section of the wagon road leading to the station, and it is believed if some adequate protection is not soon provided, a much larger portion will go the same way.

COMMERCIAL PARAGRAPHS.

The official returns with respect to assessment life assurance in Canada show that the net amount of insurance in force during 1889 was $19,132,466 done by Canadian companies, against $17,449,661 in 1888. The American companies covered $11,294,650 in 1889 and $9,915,750 in 1888. The total income of the Canadian companies was $249,352, and of the American companies $161,877. The surplus of income over expenditure by the Canadian companies was $22,511, and of the American $39,523.

The quantity of wool exported from Australia to London was 1,238,679 bales, against 1,084,355 in 1884.

The English company which has purchased the lands of the Manitoba North Western Railway company propose to cut the land in small homesteads and to lend to any settler $500 to enable him to work it.

The proposal of the Winnipeg Board of Trade to form a mutual fire insurance company in that city has had the effect of causing a reduction of ten per cent. in the premiums on brick blocks, but the companies declined to make any concessions on frame buildings.

There appears to be a general objection among retail merchants throughout the Dominion to lay in heavy stocks. Experience has shown the unwisdom of pursuing an opposite course. Much will depend upon the travellers whether this policy be continued, as some of them have too ready a knack of making retailers buy when they know, in their own minds, that their shelves are already too full.

The London, Eng., Times, in its financial article, says: "America is practically committed to an open adoption of the silver standard at a not very remote date. That is an odd position for one of the richest nations of the world to occupy, but only a currency fanatic will allege that it is necessarily bad for America, though possibly when the full consequences of the situation are perceived Americans may not altogether like them. In the immediate future the measure, if passed, will doubtless be popular."

The Iron Age reports a slight increase in the production of iron during April.

In the British parliament a bill has been introduced providing that no person shall act as a director of a public company unless and until he shall have filed with the registrar of joint stock companies a certificate that he is of sound mind and competent understanding, and, further, that he is well acquainted with the various systems of bookkeeping and the method of preparing and auditing the accounts of joint stock undertakings.

A company connected with the Canadian Pacific Railway has been formed to connect with Edmonton, assurances being given that within eighteen months the road will be built, everything tending to show that the difficulties in the way are but few and of minor importance.

No Such Place.

Some queer things happen in a newspaper office occasionally. The other evening a special came flashing over one of The Republic's leased wires from New York, giving an account of an event that had occurred at Concord.

"Ask New York if that is Concord, Mass., or Concord, N. H.," said the night editor to the operator.

A few seconds later the telegraph manipulator reappeared with the announcement:

"New York says there is no such place as Concord, Mass."

"What?" gasped the editor, as his eyes rolled in a fine frenzy. "What? Just ask that operator again."

The operator complied. The answer came ticking back: "There's no such place as Concord, Mass."

The night editor arose in solemn dignity. "Just ask him," he repeated, "if he heard of the town that fired the shot that was heard around the world. Ask him," he went on wildly, "if he ever heard of Paul Revere." Again the operator complied and brought back word that no one in the office had ever heard of the place. The night editor controlled himself enough to send his condolences, and remarked that it would be well to keep from the ears of the office cat the knowledge that no one in that particular newspaper office knew of Concord, the home of Emerson and Thoreau and Alcott.

Just then the operator shouted: "They have found it. You mean the place where they hold the School of Philosophy. Well, stuff for that place has been going to Boston for fifteen years, and this is the first time I ever heard of Concord."

To the Western Union operators, therefore, there is no such place as Concord, Mass.—St. Louis Republic.

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NOTICES.

"LAND REGISTRY ACT."

Lot 233, in the City of Victoria.

A CERTIFICATE of Indefeasible Title to the above Lot will be issued to John Herbert Turner, on the 10th day of July, 1890, unless in the meantime a valid objection thereto be made to the undersigned, in writing, by some person claiming an estate or interest in said lot, or some part thereof.

C. J. LEGGATT,
Registrar-General.

Land Registry Office, Victoria,
10th April, 1890. ap9

NOTICE.

Supply of School Furniture.

SEALED TENDERS will be received by the Hon. Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works, up to noon of Saturday, 31st day of May next, for supplying the Educational Department with school desks.

The desks must be of an approved pattern, with iron frames and hardwood finish, in all respects fully up to the standard of a sample desk which may be seen at this office. Preference will be given to home manufacture, all points of merit being equal.

Tenders must give full particulars, and must state the price for each desk and for each rear seat delivered set up ready for use in the school-houses at Victoria, Nanaimo, Vancouver or New Westminster, in such quantities and at such times as may be ordered.

The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

W. S. GORE,
Surveyor-General.

Lands and Works Department,
Victoria, B. C., 26th March, 1890.
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EDUCATION BRANCH OF THE PROVINCIAL SECRETARY'S DEPARTMENT.

VICTORIA, May 8th, 1890.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Annual Examination of Candidates for Certificates of Qualification to teach in the Public Schools of the Province will be held as follows, commencing on Friday, July 4th, at 9 a. m.:—

In Victoria—High School Building.
In Kamloops—Public School Building.

Each applicant must forward a notice, thirty days before the examination, stating the class and grade of certificate for which he will be a candidate, the optional subjects selected, and at which of the above-named places he will attend.

Every notice of intention to be examined must be accompanied with a testimonial certifying to the moral character of the candidate.

S. D. POPE,
my11-1m Superintendent of Education.

NOTICE.

ANY PERSON REGISTERED AS A voter in any of the Electoral Districts of the Province, as the same existed before the passage of the "Constitution Amendment Act, 1890," whose name would, under the provisions of the said Act, in the absence of application to the contrary, be carried to the Register of Voters for some Electoral District other than the Electoral District where any such person resides, may within thirty days of the passage of the Provincial Voters' Act (which period of thirty days will expire on the 26th May proximo) have his name placed upon the Register of Voters for the Electoral District where he resides, upon application in writing to the Collector for the last named District, subject to the provisions of the said Act.

JNO. ROBSON,
Provincial Secretary.

Dated April 28, 1890. ap29

HIS HONOR THE LIEUTENANT-GOVERNOR has been pleased to make the following appointments:—

2nd May, 1890.

To be Justices of the Peace—

FRANCOIS XAVIER MARTIN, of Vancouver, Esquire, within and for the County of Westminster.

KENNETH NATHANIEL MCDONALD-LOGAN, of McDame Creek, Esquire, and DONALD MCQUAIG, of Quartz Creek, Esquire, within and for the Cassiar Electoral District, Province of British Columbia.

7th May, 1890.

ALBERT EDWARD BOLTON, of Port Simpson, Esquire, M.D., for that portion of the Province known as the Coast District.

ISAAC H. HALLETT, of Vancouver, Esquire; to be a Stipendiary Magistrate for the County of Westminster, and WALTER DEWDNEY, of Vernon, Esquire, to be a Stipendiary Magistrate for the County of Yale.

The Reverend DONALD FRASER, M. A., JOHN ANDERSON, Esquire, B. A., and the Venerable Archdeacon SCRIVEN, M. A., Oxon., to be Examiners to act with the Superintendent of Education at the Examination of Public School Teachers for 1890.

GEORGE COWAN, of Barkerville, Esquire, to be District Registrar of the County Court of Cariboo, vice James Lindsay, deceased. my11

QUEBEC SCANDAL.

Mr. Whelan's Ten Thousand Dollars to Buy Up the Opposition.

(From the Toronto Globe)

In view of the sensation created by the report of the proceedings in the Whelan-Ford case, at Montreal, on Tuesday afternoon, and the sworn statement of J. P. Wheelan that he paid $10,000 to Mr. E. Pacaud, of L'Electeur, "to prevent him from having his (Whelan's) item struck off the official list of the Budget last session," Mr. Pacaud, of Quebec, who has been unwell and confined to his home for several days past, was interviewed on the subject, when the following conversation took place :—

Q.—Are you aware, Mr. Pacaud, of what Mr. Whelan has been swearing about you in this case with Ford at Montreal?

A.—Yes; I received a letter this morning, informing me of Mr. Whelan's declaration. I immediately notified counsel of my extreme anxiety to be summoned as a witness, and it has been arranged that I shall be examined. I have also seen the report of Mr. Whelan's evidence and the Gazette's comments on me. If you will allow me to explain I will state under what circumstances I was paid the $10,000. As you are aware there was a judgment by an arbitrator in Mr. Whelan's favor and against the Government for a sum of over $100,000, balance due him on the Quebec Court House contract. As this judgment had been rendered as far back as last July, Mr. Whelan was very anxious to be paid, and begged me to use my influence to prevent any further delay in the settlement of his claim. This was in the early part of last session. I told him that I was afraid that the Opposition would create a big row, because it was within my knowledge that they were complaining very bitterly of him ; in the first place, because he had put me in possession of very compromising documents as far as they were concerned, and secondly, because he had not paid them the amount which he had pledged himself to furnish them with during the elections of 1886. They were consequently threatening to prolong the session for another month if the item in the Budget in his favor was pressed, and I therefore suggested to him in his own interests the propriety of himself settling with the Opposition, because I was afraid that if the Government found themselves harassed in such way they might allow the item to stand over until next session. I repeated the same suggestion that very day to Mr. Whelan's lawyer, Mr. P. C. Lafontaine, but nothing more was said on the subject that day, and I left for Quebec. Some few days after I returned to Montreal, when Mr. Whelan again met me, and begged me to undertake the task of arranging with the Opposition, asking me at the same time how much they wanted. I said $10,000, which he agreed to pay, and thereupon we went together to the bank, where he drew the money and gave me the amount. I returned to Quebec and handed it, as agreed between Mr. Whelan and myself, to the party who was to receive it for the Opposition. On the first occasion Mr. Whelan told me that he was not afraid of the Opposition, that they would not dare to oppose his claim, but on my return to Montreal he told me that he had either read or heard of questions that were to be put by the Opposition to the Government about his claim, and also that he had received a letter from Hon. E. J. Flynn, informing him that the Opposition intended to bring the matter before the House. Not a cent of the money went to any of the Ministers or any of the Ministerial party. In fact not one of them knew a single word about the transaction. The money went to square Mr. Whelan's accounts with his old associates of the Opposition. All opposition to the item ceased from the very moment the money was paid, and if you will refer to the official Votes and Proceedings of the House you will notice that the questions put on the paper by Opposition members for the purpose of embarrassing the Government in this connection were allowed to stand from day to day until dropped, and that the item finally passed through Committee and the House without a vote being asked for. In fact, the arrangement under which the money was paid to them was faithfully carried out by the Opposition. Mr. Pacaud stated that he would not have acted as a go-between for Mr. Whelan with the Opposition in the matter had there been any doubt about the legitimacy of his claim. On that head there could be no dispute. There was a judgment against the Government, and he (Mr. Pacaud) therefore saw no wrong in helping to remove the obstacles in Mr. Whelan's way towards a settlement, especially as in doing so he was also helping to shorten a session which the Opposition were threatening to needlessly prolong on account of this very item.

MR. WHELAN'S DENIAL.

"That story of Mr. Ernest Pacaud's about the $10,000 he received from me being meant for the members of the Opposition is manufactured out of the whole cloth," said Mr. Mr. J. P. Whelan, indignantly, to a Montreal Gazette reporter. "I deny that I ever, directly or indirectly, gave him to understand that any part of the money was to be paid to the Opposition, and I never expected that any part of the money was intended to be spent in this way. I was informed distinctly that unless I paid the $10,000 my item would be struck out, and that was the only reason why I paid the money."

"The item could not have been struck out except by the ministers?" queried the reporter.

"Certainly not," replied Mr. Whelan, significantly.

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There is, however, one essential necessary, to preserve, not only beauty of face and expression, beauty in figure and form, beauty and expression of the eye, as well as beauty of disposition; it is your health. No matter how beautiful in manner and spirit we are if sickness steals on us, our manners and spirits are ruffled and disturbed, and we cannot be to our friends and the world what we should be.

The nervous and overworked father and mother, once so patient, kind and gentle to their children, become fretful, rougher in manner and often boorish.

The sleepless victim, once so ruddy and handsome and full of glee, is full of unrest and disquiet ; face looks worn and haggard and eyes sunken.

The dyspeptic, once so uncomplaining, easily pleased and satisfied with food and surroundings, is now in agony and pain; complains of his miserable existence and hard luck.

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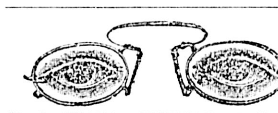

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MUNICIPAL.

A BY-LAW,

To amend the Buildings By-law Amendment By-law, 1890.

WHEREAS it is expedient to amend the Buildings By-law Amendment By-law, 1890.

BE IT THEREFORE ENACTED, by the Mayor and Council of the Corporation of the City of Victoria, as follows:—

That the said By-law be amended as follows:

By striking out the words commencing at the word "section" in the 8th line thereof down to the word "commencement" at the end of said By-law, and substituting therefor the following words and figures:—

"Commencing at a point on the shore line of Victoria Harbour, opposite the north-westerly corner of Lot 468, Block F ; thence easterly to the centre of Store street ; thence northerly along the centre of Store street to a point opposite the northwesterly corner of Lot 463 Block F; thence easterly to the centre of Store street; thence easterly along the centre of Herald street to the point of intersection of Douglas and Herald streets; thence southerly along the centre of Douglas street to the point of intersection of Douglas and Fisguard streets; thence easterly along the centre of Fisguard street to a point opposite the northeasterly corner of Lot 690; thence southerly along the easterly boundary of Lots 690 and 673 to Cormorant street; thence across Cormorant street to the northeasterly corner of Lot 1247; thence along the easterly boundary of Lots 1247 and 1248 to Pandora avenue; thence across Pandora avenue to the northeasterly corner of lot 158; thence along the easterly boundary of lots 158 and 140 to Johnson street; thence across Johnson street to the northeasterly corner of lot 36; thence along the easterly boundary of said lot 36 to the northeasterly corner of lot 21; thence easterly along the northern boundaries of lots 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 572 and 29 to the northeasterly corner of said lot 29; thence southerly along the easterly boundary of said lot 29 to Yates street; thence across Yates street to the northeasterly corner of lot 105; thence along the easterly boundary of said lot 105 to the northeasterly corner of lot 11; thence westerly along the northern boundaries of lots 11, 10, 9, 8, 7, 6, 5 and 4 to the northwest corner of said lot 4; thence southerly along the western boundary of lot 4 to View street; thence across View street to the northeasterly corner of lot 45, thence along the eastern boundary of lot 45 to the north-easterly corner of Lot 52, thence easterly along the northern boundaries of lots 51, 50, 49, 48, 47, 46, 28 and 58 to the north-easterly corner of said lot 58, thence along the easterly boundary of said lot 58 to Fort street, thence across Fort street to the north-easterly corner of lot 69, thence along the easterly boundary of lot 69 to the north-easterly corner of lot 68, thence westerly along the northern boundaries of lots 68, 67, 65 and 64 to Wilcox Alley, thence across Wilcox Alley to the north-easterly corner of lot 63, thence westerly along the northern boundaries of lots 63. 62, 60 and 59 to the north-easterly corner of lot 59 58. thence southerly along the eastern boundary of Lot 58 to Kane street; thence across Kane street to the north-easterly corner of Lot 94 ; thence along the easterly boundaries of Lots 94 and 77 to the centre of Rae street; thence westerly along the centre of Rae street to the centre of Douglas street; thence southerly along the centre of Douglas street to the north-westerly corner of Lot 210 ; thence along the westerly boundary line of Lot 210 to the shore of Victoria Harbour ; thence meander the shore line of said Harbour northerly to the place or point of commencement.

This By-law may be cited as "Building By-law Amendment By-law, 1890."

Passed the Municipal Council this 10th day of April, A. D. 1890.

Reconsidered and finally passed the Council, this 7th day of May, A. D. 1890.

JOHN GRANT, Mayor.

WELLINGTON J. DOWLER, C. M. C.

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RAILWAYS.

Esquimalt & Nanaimo R'y

TIME TABLE No. 12,

To take effect at 8.00 a.m. on Thursday. May 1st, 1890. Trains run on Pacific Standard Time.

GOING SOUTH. READ UP. No. 5. Passenger Saturdays only.	No. 3 Passenger Saturdays Sundays, Mondays.	No. 1 Passenger Daily.	STATIONS.	GOING NORTH. READ DOWN. No. 6 Passenger Saturdays only.	No. 4 Passenger Saturdays Sundays, Mondays.	No. 2 Passenger Daily.
P. M.	P. M.	A. M.		P. M.	P. M.	A. M.
	Ar 8.40	Ar 12.24	VICTORIA		De 3.08	De 8.00
	8.36	12.20	RUSSELL'S, Vic.W		3.12	8.04
	8.26	12.10	ESQUIMALT		3.22	8.14
	8.01	11.45	GOLDSTREAM		3.47	8.39
	7.06	10.50	SHAWNIGAN L'E		4.42	9.34
	6.56	10.40	COBBLE HILL		4.52	9.44
	6.41	10.27	McPHERSON'S		5.07	9.57
	6.31	10.17	KOKSILAH		5.17	10.07
	6.26	10.12	DUNCAN'S		5.2[illegible]	10.12
	6.16	10.02	SOMENOS		5.32	10.22
	5.51	9.36	CHEMAINUS		5.54	10.48
		De 8.31	NANAIMO			Ar 11.50
Ar 7.30	4.56	Ar 8.25	NANAIMO	De 10.15	6.52	De 11.59
De 7.15	De 4.41	De 8.10	WELLINGTON	Ar 10.30	Ar 7.07	Ar 12.14 P.M.

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Time Table No. 12, takes effect January 1, 1890.

Vancouver Route :

Victoria to Vancouver—Daily, except Monday, at 3 o'clock, a m.

Vancouver to Victoria—Daily, except Monday, at 14:30 o'clock or on arrival of C. P. R. No. 1 train.

New Westminster Route :

LEAVE VICTORIA for New Westminster, Ladner's Land'g and Lulu Island—Sunday at 23 o'clock. Wednesdays and Fridays at 7 o'clock. (Sunday's steamer to New Westminster connects with C. P. R train No. 2, going east Monday.)

For Plumper Pass—Wednesdays and Fridays, at 7 o'clock.

For Moresby Island—Friday at 7 o'clock.

LEAVE NEW WESTMINSTER for Victoria —Monday at 14:30 o'clock; Thursday and Saturday at 7 o'clock.

For Plumper Pass—Saturday at 7 o'clock.

Fraser River Route :

Steamers leave New Westminster for CHILLIWHACK and Way Landings every Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday at 7 o'clock.

Northern Route :

Steamship SARDONYX will leave for Fort Simpson and intermediate ports on the FIRST and FIFTEENTH of each month. When sufficient inducements offer will extend trips to West Coast points and Queen Charlotte Islands.

Barclay Sound Route :

Steamer MAUDE leaves Victoria for Alberni and Sound Ports when sufficient inducements offer.

The Company reserves the right of changing this Time Table at any time without notification. Steamers leave by Standard time.

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Str. Islander	from	Vancouver.
" Yosemite	"	New Westminster.
" Senome	"	Sound.
" S. of Washington	"	Sound.
" Henry Levine	"	Sound.
" Kingston	"	Sound.
" Olympian	"	Sound.
" Rainbow	"	Bute Inlet.
Schr. Rambler	"	Sound.

CLEARED.

" Islander	for	Vancouver.
" Yosemite	"	New Westminster.
" Schome	"	Port Townsend.
" S. of Washington	"	Port Townsend.
" Geo. W. Elder	"	Nanaimo.
" Henry Levine	"	Roche Harbor.
" Kingston	"	Sound.
" Olympian	"	Sound.
" Maude	"	Port Townsend.
" Rainbow	"	Bute Inlet.
Schr. Rambler	"	Alaska.

PASSENGERS.

Per Str CITY OF KINGSTON from the Sound—W H Hooper, Mrs Lowe, W W Smith, M Greenwood and wife, Ben and Dan A Mack, W W Birch, J Kelly, F M Thornton, R Jones, I M Gambling, S Box, M Kennedy, Mrs Ree, W Eaton, C A Lucas and wife, Indman, Mrs Buch, Mrs Laborence, Mrs Neufelder, H L Denny, T Fitch, Geo Davis, M Ready, A McNeil and wife, C Nalloton, G A Kemp, Geo Varnford, H Burton, J F Harbotl, G Peterson, J Brown, C H Pink, F N Denham, F Jackson and wife, Mrs Armstrong and daughter, J E Cook, W F Watson, W H Cameron, H F Keefer, C McLaughlin, A Thorn, Capt McIntyre and wife.

Per Str. YOSEMITE from New Westminster—Mrs T C Burts, Judge Bole and Mrs Bole, Mrs L Elphinson, Mrs McKenzie, Mr and Mrs Sidewell, T and H Sidewell, T McMann, J Dowsley, J R Arthur, Capt Robertson, E H Port, J Terhurne, J Johnsone, S O Reil, O Maxwell, J Flanders, P Pratton, J Mickfield.

Per str. NORTH PACIFIC from the Sound—H Latz and daughter, F D Taft, Jno Boyd, Joseph Laborge, Mrs Hodgson and daughter, J Clark, M Bulkley, Mrs Bulkley, D Noye, Chas Gibbons, J C Mager, Mrs Turner, B Boon, H B Smith, L Freeman, Wm Hendsnipp, Jas Muirhead, C E Hubbord, Mrs Schumaker, Miss Schumaker, J McCurdy, Italian, H Bostwick, R Westworth, F H Osgood and wife, M Mohana, J Graham, Miss McCurdy.

CONSIGNEES.

Per Str CITY OF KINGSTON from the Sound—T H Hibben, Cowan & H, Times Pub Co.

Per steamer YOSEMITE from Vancouver.—Kie Yuen, C Strouss & Co, Dom Ex Co, L Goodacre, T Earl, J McNeil, Standard Pkg Co, C P N Co, J Pollock, J T Papst, W Jensen, L Sidwell, Geo Vienna.

LITTLE LOCALS.

Regular battalion drills of the B. C. B. G. A. commence on Friday night.

Lawn mowers and tools at Cheapside.

The Kingston brought over a carload of coal oil yesterday for Cowan & Wilson.

One carload of sugar arrived by the Islander last evening.

Flags and Chinese lanterns, at Daley's, 91 Douglas street.

The interior of the little Catholic church at Esquimalt is being renovated.

For Sheffield razors, pocket knives, scisors, table cutlery, etc., go to M. & H. A. Fox, 78 Government street.

There was not a berth to be had for "love or money" on the Islander this morning.

The most complete line of Garden Hose and Lawn Sprinklers at McLennan & McFeely's, 70 Yates street.

Mr. John Pauline was the cox of Dart No. 2 (Pemberton, Fisher & Co's boat) at the regatta.

Picnic and other baskets, at R. H. Brown & Co.'s, Douglas street.

David Christie will be here from Lachute in a few days to settle up the estate of his late brother.

For lawn tennis, cricket and base ball goods, go to H. Shorts, 32 Fort street.

There will be battalion drill for the three local batteries on Friday evening at eight o'clock.

"Lincrusta Walton," the most popular of interior wall decorations, at John Weiler's 51 to 55 Fort street.

There will be a rehearsal of Pygmalion and Galatea at 1 o'clock this afternoon, and a dress rehearsal is announced for Friday.

Families supplied with Ice at reasonable rates by the British Columbia Ice Co. Telephone call 81. Office, 22 Yates street. my8 1m

A perfect hurricane of wind prevailed last night, keeping all small craft within the shelter of the harbor.

The New "Indoo" Muslin for Ball and Evening Dresses—White only—at the City House.

The passengers for Victoria on the Walla Walla are: J. Hayes, Miss Sadie Newman, George Meyers and W. S. Mayo.

Electro plated ware at R A Brown & Co's., Douglas street.

T. W. Patterson has purchased the hotel at Enderby and will make it his headquarters during the construction of the Shuswap and Okanagon.

How would a Refrigerator, an Ice Cream Freezer, or an Oil Stove suit you during the hot weather? McLennan & McFeely, 70 Yates street.

A Seattle tough, who was caught in the act of pocket-picking at the Gorge on Saturday, received such a chastisement that he will remember his would-be-victim for many weeks to come.

Baby carriages, first arrived, just received by John Weiler, 51 to 55 Fort st.

All the steamers at Spratt's wharf were gay with flags and bunting from stem to stern on Queen's birthday. Mike McCahill was the decorating genius.

If you are intending going East, make a note of the C. P. R. excursions and specially fitted colonist sleepers. First-class travel at second-class rates. A. Cameron, agent. tf

A number of men from H.M. war ship at Esquimalt were engaged yesterday in the work of removing the buoys and boats which had been placed at the Gorge in connection with Saturday's regatta.

Shelf hardware at R. A. Brown & Co.'s, Douglas street.

It is very rarely that an Indian, even a boy, upsets his canoe, but one turned over yesterday in the bay near the foot of Johnson street. The youngsters merely suffered a ducking for their recklessness in tumbling about the canoe.

Take your misfitting suits to the "Victoria Tailoring and Dyeing Establishment," there they can be made to fit you at a small cost. Jno. T. Pierre, prop., 96 Yates street.

Three hundred excursionists returned to Puget Sound by the Kingston last night. All the visitors have now about returned to their respective homes, every one, without exception, delighted with their holiday trip to Victoria.

The finest line of perfumes, toilet sets and fancy soaps, etc., is to be had at John Teague, jr.'s drug store, Poodle Dog block, Yates street. Prescriptions carefully compounded at any hour of the day or night. Telephone call 469.

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On Saturday afternoon as Mrs. Richard Hunter was returning from the Gorge, her pocket was robbed of a purse containing a small sum of money in bills and silver. Several other ladies complain of similar losses, and it is probable that they will continue to mourn.

W. B. Smith's new building (the Coach and Horses) on Esquimalt road, is approaching completion. The structure is two stories in height, and will contain a fine concert hall on the ground floor. When finished the new Coach and Horses will be one of the prettiest hostelries on the road.

There is but little doing for the moment in the department of lands and works. However, there are several important works under contemplation, and so soon as the tenders for them are received there will be considerable for the officials to do in addition to the ordinary routine work, which is by no means light.

GEO. FRANCIS TRAIN'S TRIP.

He Completes the Circle of the Globe in 67 Days, 13 Hours, 2 Minutes and 55 Seconds.

Precisely at seven o'clock on Saturday night, George Francis Train reached Tacoma and toed the brass plate in front of the Ledger office, the point from which he started on March 18th, completing his journey round the world in 67 days, 13 hours, 2 minutes and 55 seconds. Train was accompanied by his secretary, S. W. Wall, and when the train bearing the travelers entered the Tacoma station, the crowd was so dense that it was with difficulty the travelers could make their way to the waiting carriages. The rear car in which Train could be seen from the window was at once surrounded by the multitude, all eager for a closer glimpse.

Train was clad entirely in white. Hat, shirt, tie, trousers and shoes were of snowy whiteness, the only colored article of wearing apparel being his black stockings, which showed above the tops of his shoes, and a brilliant red sash knotted about his waist. A gorgeous bouquet protruded from the upper left-hand pocket of his coat, and a top of a red Turkish fez with a long tassel peeped from one of the lower pockets. The hat was a wonderfully and fearfully constructed affair which the Citizen purchased in China. It was two stories high with a small cupola on top and with the inscription, "George Francis Train around the world in sixty days," printed in black letters on the forward end of the lower deck. The appearance of the brain cover was such that a small boy near the platform, couldn't resist the temptation to sing out, "Where did you get that hat?"

Just before the train pulled out, Train made a dive at a little child and, pulling a coral necklace from his pocket, he tied it about the little one's neck.

"There, baby," he said, "is a present for you all the way from Arabia. Keep it in remembrance of your friend."

The run from Chehalis to Tacoma was one continuous ovation to the traveller, who divided the honors with his New York guests. He was somewhat disappointed over his failure to secure a special over the Northern Pacific, but was much pleased at the reception on the train and at the depot.

Train says he is going around the world again in October, starting again at Tacoma. This time he proposes to make the trip in 42½ days. He lays out his programme this way:

	Days.
Tacoma to Yokohama	10½
Yokohama to Hong Kong	3½
Hong Kong to Singapore	3½
Singapore to Colombo	2
Colombo to Aden	4½
Aden to Suez	4½
Suez to Port Said	1
Port Said to Brindisi	2½
Brindisi to Southampton	2
Southampton to New York	6
New York to Tacoma	3
Total	42½

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